

EDUCATION'S BEST FRIEND

DR. NATHAN C. SCHAEFFER,
SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Passes Away After Brief Illness a Few Days Over Three Score and Ten Mark.

Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, leading educator of the Keystone Commonwealth, who has labored for a quarter of a century to advance education in this place and make it equal and better than anywhere else in the world, died on last Saturday after a week's illness. He had passed the three score and ten mark on February 3. Dr. Schaeffer was born in Berks county, educated at the Keystone State Normal School, Kutztown, Franklin and Marshall College and at universities on the continent. He taught at Mercersburg College and Franklin and Marshall and was principal of the Keystone State Normal School for sixteen years. He was elected president of the National Education Association in 1905. He was appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania by Governor Robert E. Pattison in 1903. While a Democrat and born in a big Democratic county, Dr. Schaeffer was of those big and broad proportions that knew and realized that politics must be kept out of the problems of education and heroically he pursued this course and was honored by being reappointed by Governor Stone in 1907, by Governor Pennypacker in 1909, by Governor Stuart in 1910, and by Governor Tener in 1913. He has served in many ways to advance the cause of education, lecturing in nearly every State in the Union. He was recognized as one of the giants of intellect and energy in pushing forward the cause he served. He frequently visited Gettysburg and was well known and loved by teachers and all with whom he came in contact, his personal touch being an inspiration. He leaves a widow, two sons and five daughters.

Lieut. Louis Hamilton Bayly, attached to headquarters of the Eightieth Division stationed at Ancy-le-Francois, France, died March 4 following an attack of pneumonia. He was born in Washington in September, 1893, attended public schools there and later was a student at school for boys in Asheville, N. C. His father, Wm. Hamilton Bayly, who died about six years ago, was a native of this county and admitted to the Bar here and for many years was in the Pension Department at Washington, D. C.

Ralph Gettier, 20 years old, of Biglerville, was instantly killed Saturday night when he stepped in front of a fast bound Pennsylvania freight at Rockville, just outside of Harrisburg. Gettier and a friend accompanied by three other couples boarded the night passenger train for Rockville. He was the first one to alight from the train and was struck by the freight as he stepped on the next track. He was employed in a Harrisburg restaurant. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Gettier, and the following brothers and sisters: Harry Gettier, of Sibley, Iowa; Mrs. Lawrence Lawler, Miss Ruth Gettier, and J. Tolbert Gettier, of Harrisburg; Mrs. A. F. Thoman, of Biglerville; and Pauline, Margaret, Roy, Robert and John, at home.

Mrs. Mary Edna King March, wife of Elmer C. March, of Baltimore, died at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, on Tuesday after undergoing an operation, aged 31 years, 9 months and 1 day. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. King, of near Two Taverns, and on November 24th, 1904, was married to Elmer C. March, who survives. She also leaves her parents and the following sisters and brothers, Mrs. Earlington Shriver, of near Harney, Md.; Wilbur, Clarence, Gladys and Hilda King, at home. Funeral will be on Saturday with services at 1 o'clock at Grace Lutheran Church, Two Taverns, by her pastor, Rev. I. M. Lau.

Miss Anna M. Sneeringer died at the home of her father, Francis Sneeringer, of near Ponceauville, on Monday after a lingering illness of tuberculosis aged 20 years, 1 month and 12 days. She leaves her father, and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Harry Shorb, of Mt. Rock; Sister Mary Hildegard, of the Convent of Mercy, of Harrisburg; Jos. Sneeringer, of Waynesboro; David Sneeringer, of Baltimore; John Sneeringer, of Seattle, Wash.; Frank Sneeringer, with the U. S. Army; Leo Sneeringer, of Washington, D. C.; and Clarence Sneeringer, at home. Funeral on Thursday with a requiem high mass in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Ponceauville, and interment in the Catholic Cemetery.

William D. McCall, Littlestown, died Tuesday after a lingering illness aged 39 years. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Elsie Adams, two brothers, James McCall, of Philadelphia, and Carter McCall, of Littlestown, and two sisters, Mrs. James Eck, of York, and Mrs. Edward Swisher, of Gettysburg; also his mother, Mrs. Mary McCall, of Littlestown. Funeral on Saturday at St. Aloysius Catholic Church, with requiem high mass by Rev. Fr.

O'Callahan, and burial in the Littlestown Catholic Cemetery.

Daniel B. Stoops, of Blue Rock, the Old Forge section of Franklin Co., died last Friday in his 74th year, from bronchial asthma and heart trouble. He was born in Adams county, a son of the late Samuel and Susan Bowman Stoops. At the age of 13 years he moved to the Old Forge section and was employed for many years as a collier. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in the 13th Maryland Regiment. He leaves a widow, daughter of the late David Miller, and the following children: William, of Tomstown; D. Oscar and Calvin B., of New Bloomfield; S. Ira, of Fairfield; Mrs. P. B. Shildneck, of Waynesboro; Mrs. C. A. Provard, and Mrs. G. H. Gearhart, of Blue Rock; Mrs. I. L. Hartsock, of Marion; Lloyd Z., and Percy M., of Blue Rock.

Mrs. Sara Ellen Polley, widow of William G. Polley, died at the home of her son, Albert Polley, Menallen township, Sunday after a few days illness aged 78 years, 8 months and 14 days. Besides her son, Albert Polley, with whom she lived, she leaves one brother, Henry Slusser. Mrs. Polley was a member of the Goodyear Lutheran Church for a number of years. Funeral was on Tuesday conducted by Rev. W. D. E. Scott, with interment in Bendersville Cemetery.

Miss Roxie Krug died at her home in McSherrystown on Sunday aged 31 years, 1 month and 15 days. Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Krug, two sisters, Mrs. Amos Rohrbach, of Hanover, and Miss Perdita Krug, of Biffringer, and Elder Krug, at home. Funeral was on Wednesday, services by Rev. R. H. Bergstresser, and burial in Hanover Cemetery.

Richard Kiser died at his home near Irishtown on last Saturday from an affection of the heart aged 14 years, 10 months and 3 days. Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kiser, two brothers, Francis and Henry, and a sister, Mary, all at home. Funeral on Tuesday, with a mass of requiem in Conewago Chapel by Rev. Dr. Charles Koch, and burial in Conewago Chapel Cemetery.

Walter Bruce Dick, formerly a corporal stationed with the Quartermaster Corps at Gettysburg, died on Wednesday of last week from influenza and was buried at his home in Dillsburg on Saturday. He was in his 30th year. Mr. Dick entered the military service at Camp Colt last July and was stationed here until he received his discharge about three weeks ago. Before entering the service he was president of the Dillsburg National Bank, having been elected soon after the death of his father a few years ago. He was a member of the P. O. S. of A., was a Mason and Shriner and graduated from Dickinson College in 1912. He leaves a mother, a sister and a brother.

George Zumbrum, of York county, died on Monday aged 64 years. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary Masemore, and the following children: Harry Zumbrum, of Hampton; Mrs. Ammon Dubs, near Pumping Station; Mrs. Savoy Ruhlman, of Hanover; and George and Miss Clara Zumbrum, at home; also two sisters, Mrs. Tila Warner, of Kentland, Ind.; and Mrs. Lydia Folmar, of near New Chester, and one brother, Daniel Zumbrum, of Kentland, Ind. Funeral was on Thursday.

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Fell from Second Story Window.

Thomas Nipple, of Clinton, Ohio, a young student at Gettysburg Academy, fell from a second story window late Saturday afternoon and is now in the Chambersburg Hospital suffering from concussion of the brain and a fractured wrist. Nipple, who weighs 180 pounds, had locked himself out of his own room and was trying to gain access to it from an adjoining room by crawling out of the window onto a narrow ledge. He lost his footing and fell twenty feet to the concrete floor of the portico below, striking and splitting a window sill in his fall and being turned so that his head received the full force of the blow. He was picked up and after preliminary treatment there was rushed to Chambersburg. Latest report of his condition states that there has been improvement and that he has excellent chances for recovery.

Bonus for Soldiers as Nurses.

Not only soldiers, sailors and marines, but field clerks and nurses of the army, all male or female reservists of the navy and all persons in service of the coast guard, coast and geodetic survey and lighthouse service who performed active duty with the navy during the war are entitled to the \$50 bonus recently authorized by Congress, according to new information sent to the Home Service Section, American Red Cross. The bonus, however, is not payable to any one who did not report at his station prior to November 14, 1918, and only one bonus will be paid any person discharged twice during the period covered by the act. According to the interpretation of the information by the Home Service Section, men discharged from the draft, provided they reported at camp and were enrolled, are entitled to the bonus.

WOLF MURDER CASE ON.

Japanese on Trial for Murder of Former New Oxford Man.

Dr. Norbu Ishida, the Japanese, who shot and killed Dr. George B. Wolff, son of Rev. David U. Wolff, of Myerstown, pastor of the New Oxford Reformed Church from 1881 to 1887, is being tried this week in Baltimore for murder. The shooting took place at the Sheppard and Enoch Pratt Hospital Dec. 20, 1918. The case is attracting the attention of prominent alienists and other medical men, the accused having entered a plea of not guilty on the ground of insanity.

The defense proved that Ishida had a wife and two children living in Japan and succeeded in getting into evidence a statement made, in which Ishida said that Dr. Wolff tried to make people believe he was a spy. That he was jealous of the Japanese over the girl and then assaulted the girl against her will and that his act was for the honor of both nations and the girl.

The nurse was then put on the stand by the defense to prove that there was no truth in this statement and it was the ravings of a disordered mind. She testified that accusations of Ishida that Dr. Wolff had assaulted her were false or that there had been any interference in an alleged love affair between her and Dr. Ishida. She declared that there had been no love affair of any kind between her and Dr. Wolff or Dr. Ishida, but that the latter had persisted in annoying her.

Dr. Brush, superintendent of the hospital, testified that he had never heard of any trouble prior to the shooting, and that he would have sent the Japanese away had he ever made any such accusations to him for he knew Dr. Wolff to be a gentleman in every respect.

Ishida, the Japanese, was convicted on Thursday.

County Asked for 10 Tons Clothing.

The drive of the American Red Cross for the collection of used clothing for the joint benefit of all European countries except the Central Powers will be carried on in Adams county in the week beginning March 31. This is a date slightly later than that for many sections and has been selected because of the discarding of winter garments.

The campaign is one of the largest ever undertaken in the interests of humanity. The need is dire and the Red Cross feels a deep obligation to supply it as far as possible.

The plan followed will be the one which proved so successful in the collection of clothing for Belgium. Every kind of garment for all ages and both sexes is urgently needed. In addition piece goods, light, warm cotton flannel and all other kinds of clothing from which to make garments for newborn babies, ticking, sheeting and blanketing, woolen goods of any kind, and shoes of every size are asked for. Scrap leather is needed for repairing footwear.

Garments need not be in perfect condition. Many thousands of destitute women in the occupied regions are eager to earn a small livelihood by repairing gift clothing and making new garments.

At the time of the last collection Adams county was asked for three tons of clothing and sent approximately seven. It is believed that now at the end of the winter season ten tons can be collected.

The Gettysburg collection will be in charge of Mrs. Donald P. McPherson. Full plans will be announced later.

Commencement Orators.

Governor William C. Sproul will be the orator at the Commencement exercises of Gettysburg College on June 11th in Brua Chapel. Dr. Granville some weeks ago asked Governor Sproul to be the orator of Commencement this year and only within a few days received an acceptance. Governor Sproul received the degree of LL.D. from Gettysburg College in 1918, the first institution to so honor him, except his own college. Swarthmore.

Dr. Larnitz Larsen, D.D., of Washington, D. C., will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday previous to Commencement.

WEDDINGS.

Bowman-Whisler—Private Chas. W. Bowman, of McSherrystown, and Miss Edna M. Whisler, of Hanover, were married in the Lutheran parsonage, New Oxford, by Rev. W. M. Allison, on Sunday evening. They will reside on the farm of the groom's father, Charles Bowman, Sr., near McSherrystown.

Mummert—Troistle—Wm. McK. Mummert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Mummert, of York county, and Miss Nettie R. Troistle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troistle, of near East Berlin, were married at St. John's parsonage, near Littlestown, March 8, by the bride's cousin, Rev. I. M. Lau.

Humbert-Rudisill—Lloyd R. Humbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Humbert, of near Piney Creek, and Miss Ruth A. Rudisill, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Rudisill, of Two Taverns, were married at the home of the bride Saturday, March 8, by Rev. I. M. Lau.

Community House Urged.

The Parent-Teachers had a splendid meeting last Friday evening. Mrs. H. T. Weaver presided. The musical part of the program consisted of selections by High School Orchestra, song, "Far Away in the South," by the College Quartet, and solo, "Spring is Coming," by Miss Reba Miller. Miss Maud Miller's Sixth Grade pupils gave a demonstration which was greatly enjoyed. Three addresses were made. Mrs. S. N. Hagen took as her subject "Raising of Men," and said that home must be made attractive to combat the strong influence of street, and suggested games, music and good reading matter as entertainment in the home and that the town needs a public library and perhaps when we get our community house we will have a library, and that it would be worth while to establish a town library until the community house was built.

I. L. Taylor asked parents to examine the school cards of their children and if the pupil's marks indicate that anything is wrong the cause should be ascertained from the teachers. He emphasized the parental duty of looking after the children so as to be able to remedy conditions which now exist.

Rev. J. B. Baker concluded the speaking on subject "On the Square," making an appeal to make the town a better place in which to live. He paid tribute to the Parent-Teachers Association and the good work of co-operation between parents and teachers which has been promoted. The building of a Community House was pointed out as the way to make the town better for the boys and girls, not a small house on a side street but a big and attractive building.

The association was asked to have six new directors for the Playground Association and the following were named: Mrs. D. P. McPherson and Mrs. Wm. Arch. McClean, for three years; William Gilbert and R. C. Miller for two years; Walter D. Reynolds and Rev. F. E. Taylor for one year.

Robbed of \$300.

Charles Walter, the veteran horse dealer of this county, while staying at the farm of Edward Miller near Fairfield, this county, was robbed of \$300 last Sunday night and no clues to identity of the thief have been found.

The Miller house was locked as usual Sunday night and the door of Walter's room closed, but when he arose the next morning the bedroom door was found open and the front door of the house unlocked. Mr. Walter's clothing was found scattered about the hall and his wallet containing \$300 was missing. Other valuables were not touched and nothing else in the house was stolen.

Mr. Britton, who was sleeping in the same room with Walter, is not sure whether any money was stolen from him or not. Much mystery surrounds the robbery and there is little or no grounds upon which to base suspicions.

The fact that the thief was able to enter the house and went away with the money without arousing anyone would make it seem quite probable that he was well acquainted with the Miller house and knew that Walter was carrying a large sum of money.

Honor Coming to Town Man.

Announcement has been made from Harrisburg that Robert C. Miller, of this place, will succeed D. Edward Long, of Chambersburg, as State Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding. Mr. Long's nomination has been withdrawn by Governor Sproul and while the latter has not sent the name of his successor to the Senate, all the news is one way, that Mr. Miller will be the new Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding. Mr. Miller was the manager of the "Daily Star and Sentinel" from its start until sold to the "Times." He has been Republican County Chairman of Adams County for several years.

Camp Seems to be Going.

The indications are that Camp Colt is to be abandoned. No direct orders to that effect have been received. However orders have come to dispose of the wood in the camp of over 4500 cords and appearances point to the dismantling and salvaging of the camp. In view however that there has been men at work repairing roads through camp and doing other work, just what the ultimate purposes of the Government are seems to be a matter of speculation. It will likely take several months to pull down all the buildings, dispose of material and restore the ground and fencing.

With the United States owning thousands of acres here, it would certainly seem that the economical thing to do would be to locate a permanent army post here on a site with a record for sanitation and health.

Memorial Day Orator.

Chief Justice J. Hay Brown, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, has been selected as the orator on Memorial Day this year. He has accepted and Gettysburg will have the great pleasure of listening to one of her most distinguished sons on the first Memorial Day, when services will be held in memory of the Civil War Heroes and the World War Heroes.

THE COMING VICTORY LOAN.

Is To Be a Thanksgiving Loan of the American People.

On Monday evening a number of our people who have been active in Liberty Loan drives met Mr. Grier Hersh, of York, Chairman of group of counties including Adams county. At the conclusion of the lunch Dr. Granville as master of ceremonies made an address, in which he referred to the fact that notwithstanding the armistice and the cessation of hostilities, many soldiers had been called upon to stick to their tasks. So with the civilians who had been helping to raise the loans their work was not completed, but they must finish their work in the same clean-cut way as the soldiers did their job. The coming loan was not only a Victory Loan but a Thanksgiving Loan.

This Victory Loan was one that the farmers should go their limit toward making it successful. With the end of the war, billions of dollars worth of contracts for munitions and supplies were cancelled. The one contract of the government not cancelled and which would be kept was that for the wheat of the farmers of 1919 and to do so may compel the government to lose good money, but the farmers upon whom the feeding of the world depends, have been taken care of and it is up to them to take care of a big part of the loan now.

Mr. Grier Hersh said it was only a matter of paying bills, the boys had been good sports and finished the war game and it was now up to the people to be good sports and pay the bills. After declaring over and over again that that was the only issue, he could not resist the temptation of letting his audience know how he voted notwithstanding they had some previous idea of it.

The only policies heard these days are from those in line with the Republican Senators who are trying to kick up a dust in the hope of finding an issue against the great American Leader, who is trying to end war for all time. Of course if there are any who have grouches about making the world safe for democracy, they can take it out in November 1920, but in the meantime let the Victory Loan drive on. As a real down matter of fact it would be far better taste in speakers not to mention politics in any way. The motto should be, don't talk but saw wood.

After short talks by William Sunday, the Executive Secretary, and Roy Funkhouser, the talking was over and it was agreed that the Victory Loan was going over the top in Adams county.

Mail Truck Lines Consolidated.

The motor mail truck route from Hanover to Lancaster, for connection with Philadelphia truck service, and the service from Lancaster to Gettysburg, connecting with all truck service on the Lincoln Highway and with service to Baltimore and Washington, have been consolidated as one service. Under the consolidated arrangement the Hanover truck has been eliminated.

The Lancaster truck goes to Gettysburg in the morning, as at present, and on the return trip touches Hanover, taking up that service and arriving in Lancaster in time to connect with the truck that leaves there at 4:30 P. M. and arrives in Philadelphia at 10:15 P. M.

Produce and parcels mailed anywhere east of McConnellsburg, Pa., will arrive in Philadelphia in time for the first motor mail truck leaving for New York on the following morning.

Local Board Closing Up.

Dr. J. P. Dalbey of the Local Draft Board has been working overtime, day and night to bring to a finish the work of the Board. This has meant a card indexing of every item and thing. Then came the packing of twenty-five boxes with the mass of papers and data pertaining to the draft. Every box was numbered and a list made of contents of each box. While at the work orders were received asking for information interfering with the final closing. The work of the Local Board has been a huge labor, one only accomplished by most careful and persistent labor and Dr. Dalbey has given most devoted attention and work to every detail, along with his assistants and other members of the Board, Sheriff Hartman and County Commissioner Sigle. There is no question that the Local Board of Gettysburg, Adams County, will turn into the government as perfect a record as will be received from any Board in the country. The aim is to ship the entire record before March 31, and that goal will be reached as the work is almost at an end now.

Held for Court for Stealing Autos.

Wm. E. Eckenrode confessed to the theft of two autos at a hearing before Justice L. D. Sell, of Hanover, and is held for action of the Grand Jury. The first car he took in August in Hanover, drove to Waynesboro and sold it to William Hoffman for \$278, and latter sold it to W. M. Fischer and Fred Mace, who had been arrested for receiving stolen goods but who were discharged after the hearing. The car of James Silik was stolen in September in Hanover and was sold to Weldeno Smetzer near Waynesboro for \$475. Eckenrode getting \$350 and Fischer who made sale, receiving \$125. Both cars have been recovered and returned to owners.

PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Hon. Wm. H. Tipton, Chambersburg street, has returned from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. James H. Cannon at their home at Pittsburgh.

—Donald McPherson, Jr., who is attending school in Baltimore, is spending some time with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. D. P. McPherson, at their home on Carlisle street.

—G. Edgar Miller, of Wilmington, Del., spent Sunday with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. E. P. Miller, York St.

—Co. Supt. H. Milton Roth and Prof. Raymond Shank attended the funeral of Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, at Lancaster on Wednesday.

—Miss Miriam Weaver, West High street, is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Charles S. Butt, of near town is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, at their home in Waynesboro.

—Sergt. Henry Garvin, of Camp Meade, spent a week's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Garvin, Buford avenue.

—Rev. Fr. John Codori, of Johnstown, spent several days this week with his sister, Mrs. Geo. F. Eberhart, Chambersburg street.

—Miss Beulah Bream, of Hanover, Miss Gillette, of Columbia, and the Misses Black, of Flora Dale, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Wm. Bream, Springs avenue.

—Sergt. and Mrs. Forrest Page, East High street, left on Wednesday morning for Chicago, where Mrs. Page has accepted a position, and where they will make their future home. Sergt. Page recently returned from service overseas, with the Tank Corps and during his absence Mrs. Page made her home with her mother, Mrs. Peter Sheads, East High street.

—John A. Shriver, Esq., of Palmyra, Pa., was a business visitor in Gettysburg on Monday.

—Rev. Wm. G. Shifer, of St. Thomas, Pa., spent several days this week with his son and daughter who are attending Seminary and College here. Rev. Shifer and family expect to move to Gettysburg this spring.

—Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hartman and family moved this week from their Baltimore street property to their home on Springs avenue, purchased some time ago from Dr. A. R. Wentz. Mr. and Mrs. Danner Buchler, South street, will occupy the Hartman house about the first of April.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Funkhouser and family moved this week from Baltimore street to their newly purchased home on Springs avenue, formerly the Slaybaugh property. Mr. and Mrs. Slaybaugh and family will occupy rooms in the Chas. Plank residence on Chambersburg street until the completion of their new bungalow on Springs avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Walter and family of North Washington street, moved this week into their new home on Baltimore street recently purchased from W. H. Johns.

—Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, Mrs. H. L. Diehl, Mrs. W. S. Schroeder and Mrs. Stevenson were the hostesses at the College League Tea given on Thursday afternoon in the lecture room of the College Church.

—Charles Wible has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Wible, near town, after spending the past year on active duty on the French front. Private Wible was a dispatch carrier.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barbehenn have returned to Philadelphia after a visit with relatives in town.

J. L. Williams, Esq., and Roy P. Funkhouser recently attended a meeting of the Publicity Committee in Philadelphia. It would seem that Littlestown being separated and placed in another district and that the drive being for five billions instead of six billion of last one, that quota of the first district of Adams county will be approximately \$1,350,000. The rate of interest has not been announced but expectations are for a figure in excess of 4-4 per cent. of the previous loans.

—Miss Nona Brown, of Lancaster, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sallie Cox, Lincoln avenue.

—Miss Rosie Young has returned to her home on Steiwehr avenue after spending a month with her brother in Philadelphia.

—Leon Charles Thorn, of Camp Dix, N. J., is spending a ten days' leave with his wife and family at their home on Chambersburg street. Capt. Thorn has just returned from active service in France.

—Sergt. Jos. Miller, a member of the Machine Gun Battalion of the 7th Inf., formerly of Florida, is spending a ten days' furlough as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller, East Middle street.

Gettysburg's Dry Goods Department Store will hold a Get Acquainted Sale all next week in their Carpet and Drapery department introducing the new management of Mr. Calvin Stallsmith, and in the Household Textile department introducing Mr. Ralph D. Streig, the new manager. Special low prices will be given on almost all items in these two lines during this sale.

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DEATHS.

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on last Friday after an illness of several months aged 51 years, 8 months and 9 days. She was a daughter of the late James and Mary Rider, of Round Top, and on January 13, 1891, was married to Joseph Redding, whom she leaves, together with two daughters and one son, Mrs. Cleason Fair and Mary Redding at home and Bernard Redding, of Cumberland township; John Rider, of East Berlin; James Rider, of Waynesboro; Clayton Rider, of Mt. Joy township, and Charles Rider, of Cumberland township. The funeral was held Monday morning in St. Francis Xavier Church with mass of requiem by Rev. D. F. Boyle, and interment in the Catholic Cemetery.

Lawrence Earl Everhart died at his home in Harrisburg Monday after a few days' illness from pneumonia, aged 29 years. Besides his wife, who, before marriage, was Miss Martha Hollinger, of Harrisburg, he leaves two young children; also the following sisters and brother: Miss Bessie Everhart, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Mervin Weikert, of Fairfield; Miss Mazie Everhart, of Gettysburg; Mrs. William Clark, of New Windsor, Md.; and W. C. Everhart, of Gettysburg. Funeral was on Thursday at Harrisburg.

John A. Spangler, a student of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Spangler, near Spring Grove, on Saturday of tuberculosis, aged 26 years. About three months ago Mr. Spangler became deaf and returned to his home. He was then taken to Baltimore and underwent an operation, which seemed not to have given any relief and he became more deaf, so much so that he could hardly understand when one talked to him. This was due probably to catarrhal trouble, which developed into tuberculosis. Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Rev. Henry Spangler, a missionary to India, who is on his way home, having telegraphed from San Francisco last Tuesday, and one sister, Mrs. Samuel Newcomer, of Spring Grove.

Miss Margaret White Pryor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pryor, died at her home in Liberty township from pneumonia, following influenza, aged 12 years, 1 month and 22 days. Besides her parents she leaves one brother, James Pryor, and two sisters, Frances and Nellie, all at home.

Charles Livingston, a ship officer, was killed in New York last Friday, and his body was sent to W. O. Routsong, Bendersville. Mr. Livingston was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Livingston, former residents of Bendersville, and was aged about 30 years. Besides his parents he leaves two sisters and a brother all residing in Kachia, Mont.

Jesse Beam died at the County Home on Monday night from dropsy, aged 81 years, and had been an inmate of the Home for twenty-one years. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Agnes Brown, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. John Stallman, of Philadelphia. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. B. Baker with interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

George W. Weaner, a highly respected citizen of Bendersville, died at his home of paralysis, on last Friday aged 78 years, 4 months and 9 days. He had been a farmer in early life, one of the progressive farmers of his section, but retired about 20 years ago and has been living in Bendersville. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. H. G. Bangher, and two sons, W. C. Weaner, of Aspers; and Chas. C. Weaner, of Bendersville. He is survived by a brother,

Rev. C. Weaner, of Rising Sun, Ohio, and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Trostle, of York Springs. He was an uncle of J. O. G. Weaner and C. J. Weaner, of this place.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Tate, widow of Dr. T. T. Tate, died on Thursday at the advanced age of 83 years and 24 days. She was the daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. Smith, of Flora Dale, and lived her entire married life in this town. The funeral will be held by Dr. Billheimer and will be private with interment in the Evergreen Cemetery. She leaves two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Wm. Ingersoll and Mrs. Ada Giveler, of New York City, Preston Tate, of

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**FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
C. CLIFFORD BREAM,**
Of Gettysburg, Borough.
Your support is respectfully solicited at the Democratic Primary.

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
JOHN E. McDONNELL,**
of
Gettysburg Borough.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries.

**FOR PROTHONOTARY,
P. A. T. BOWER,**
of
Butler township.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

**FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
J. C. REINECKER,**
of
Gettysburg Borough.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
C. A. HERSHEY,**
of
Franklin Township.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
J. W. HARMAN,**
of
Straban Township.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

Having gone through the primaries of 1911 and 1915, this being my third attempt, and coming from a large family of the Harman, none of them ever asking for a county office, I most kindly solicit the support of the Democratic voters at this coming primary.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
H. F. PHILLIPS,**
of
Tyrone Township.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
CHARLES D. SELL,**
of
Littlestown.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic primary.

Gettysburg, and Fred M. Tate, of Kansas City, Mo.

Charles Morris Peters died in McAllen township from a stroke of apoplexy aged 65 years. Mr. Peters was a son of the late Henry and Anna Peters, of Adams county. In 1895 his parents moved to Illinois, where he resided until a few years ago when he came East and engaged in poultry raising, about one mile

PUBLIC SALE.

On Thursday, March 20, 1919.

The undersigned, having rented his farm on the shares, will sell at the old Major home situated on the Harrisburg road, three miles north of Gettysburg, in Straban township, the following described personal property: 6 Head of Horses and Mules. No. 1, brown mare 8 years old, single line leader, good driver, will work wherever hitched and can be driven by a woman; No. 2, bay horse 8 years old, sired by St. Julius, as good an off-side worker as there is in the county; No. 3, pair of black horse mules, 12 years old, good size, one is an elegant leader and the other has been worked in the lead. This is a handy pair of mules. No. 4, pair of bay mare mules 13 years old, one is a good leader and both have been driven single. These mules are nice and quiet about the stable and I have owned them since they were 3 years old. 13 Head of Dehorned Cattle. 6 cows will be fresh, or close springers by day of sale; 5 the calves have just been sold; 2 fall cows. These cows are Holstein and Durham and good milkers. All but one are young, having from 1 to 5 calves. 45 Head of Berkshire and Poland China Hogs. Large Poland China sow, will have pigs 4 weeks old by day of sale; large Berkshire sow, due to farrow June 1st; several young Berkshire and Poland China sows have just been bred; the remainder range from pigs to shoats that will weigh 125 pounds. These sows are bred to a thoroughbred Berkshire boar and are as good as you will find anywhere. Farming Implements. 2-horse Studebaker wagon and bed, 1-horse Studebaker wagon and bed, Deering binder, 6-foot cut, in good running order, McCormick mower 5 foot cut, McCormick hay rake, good as new, 16 foot hay ladders, just new, 2 corn workers, one an Albright the other a Hensch & Dromgold, 3 No. 99 Oliver chilled plows, 2 18 tooth spring harrows, Spangler single row corn planter, good land roller, 1-horse cultivator, single shovel plow, double shovel plow, corn fork, 1-horse sled, single, double, and triple trees, spreader, middle rings, jockey sticks, pitch and manure forks, manure hook, breast, butt and cow chains, shovels, ice tongs, 2 spring wagon poles, single wire stretcher, Harness and Gears. 2 sets breechbands, 4 sets front gears, collars, bridles, plow line, 2 pairs check lines, lead rein, hitching straps, halters, set of single harness double harness, riding saddle, 2 good side saddles, 200 bushels of good yellow corn to be sold by the bushel. 70 Laying Hens to be sold by the pound. Miscellaneous. Sharpless tubular hand milk separator, 3 milk cans, pair steelyards, half-bushel and bushel basket, and many other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Terms: A credit of 12 months will be given on all sums in excess of \$500 to purchasers giving their notes with approved security; four per cent for cash. Further terms and conditions will be made known on day of sale.

R. K. MAJOR.

Caldwell, Auct.
Bream, Clerk.
—ALSO—
At the same time and place and under the same terms and conditions, the undersigned will sell: bureau 100 years old, cook stove, chunk stove, cross cut saw, set of wheels, lot of barrels, seed potatoes by the bushel.
WM. P. HANKEY.

north of Bendersville. He leaves his wife and three sons, who reside in Illinois.

MARKET PRICES.

Confirmed by C. M. Wolf's Warehouse March 14.

Wheat	\$2.40
Corn, shelled	1.60
Corn, ears	1.55
Rye	1.60
Oats, home	.85
Oats, western	.95
Bran, per 100 wt.	2.75
Middlings, white wheat	3.60
Middlings, white barley	3.20
Middlings, red wheat	2.80
Cotton seed meal	3.35
Oil meal	2.25
Dairy feed	2.75
Barley feed	2.80
Oats	1.60
Corn and oats chop	3.00

ARENDTSTVILLE.

Several days ago when Messrs. David Thomas, Esq., Cletus Culp, and Wert Malum were fishing in the Conowago Creek with hook and line they caught 18 suckers that measured from 12 to 17 1-2 inches long.

Our fruit growers are now busy getting their spraying material in and pruning their fruit trees.

Hon. Jas. C. Cole is getting the material together to build a new barn on the site where his large up-to-date barn was burnt last fall that caught fire when children build a fire in it to bake mud cakes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mark have returned from a two weeks' visit among friends in Baltimore.

Wm. F. Lady who has been quite ill with rheumatism during the last week is somewhat improved.

Confesses Guilt of Auto Stealing.

Chief of Police Crabbs of Hanover, in tracing the theft of an automobile from John Dubs, of Grangeville, stolen in front of St. Mark's Church, Hanover, on Aug. 3, arrested W. E. Eckenrode, of Gettysburg. The arrest was made in Baltimore and a confession was made that he was not only guilty of the theft of the Dubs car but also the machine of James Sillick of Fairfield, stolen last fall. The Dubs car was recovered in Waynesboro and garage man where found has been held in \$1000 bail for a hearing on charge of receiving stolen goods.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Susan Mowery, late of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment of same, and those having claims present them at once.

W. E. KAPP, Executor.
Biglerville, Pa.
Or Wm. Arch. McClean, Atty.
Gettysburg, Pa.

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For Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and are a pleasant remedy for Worms. Used by Mothers for 30 years. They never fail. At all druggists. Sample FREE. Address Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Edgar C. Tawney, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

J. A. TAWNEY,
Administrator.
Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Emma Gross, late of the Township of Tyrone, Adams county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

MARY RUPP,
Administratrix,
Hampton, Pa.
Or her Atty.
Wm. Arch. McClean,
Gettysburg, Pa.



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\$7 and \$8 Maroon sweaters (extra heavy) now \$5; Khaki Sweaters \$7.50 now \$5; Khaki Sweaters \$5.50 now \$3.67; Khaki pull-on \$4.50 now \$3; Khaki pull-on \$3 now \$2. All other sweaters 1-4 off.

Men's Wool underwear (a good assortment of sizes left from January sale) union or two-piece 1-3 off.

Army Shirts Reduced as Follows

No. 1, \$6 now \$4. No. 2, \$4.50 now \$3. No. 3 \$4 now \$2.50. No. 4, \$3 now \$2. No. 5, \$2.50 heavy now \$1.75. No. 6, \$2.50 light now \$1.75.

Send us your order by 'phone or mail. We will pay the parcel-post and if you don't want the shirts for any reason, they may be returned. These shirts are most attractively priced, and don't forget that there are winter snows and blows coming.

ECKERT'S STORE

"On the Square"

Farmers==Help Us to Help You

BEFORE long you are going to be very busy. To make your crop, you are going to need the service of every machine you have. There is a little lull right now. This time can be put to mighty good use.

How are your farm machines? Wouldn't it be a wise precaution to look them over carefully to assure yourself that there are no parts needing replacement now or later on?

By making a list of present or possible future requirements and giving it to us before or during Repair and Inspection Week, March 3-8, we shall be able to furnish you what you want when you want it.

If there is any item on your list we do not happen to carry in stock, we can procure it and hold it in readiness for you. It takes the delay, and consequent loss of time out of farm emergencies. The question of a day or two during the busy season on the farm is a serious one. Make up that list now and let us have it.

Gettysburg Department Store

Gettysburg, Pa.

THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

By CARTER GLASS,
Secretary of the Treasury.

"The Federal Reserve system today is the firm base from which the readjustment of after-war enterprises must make the start, just as it was the sure foundation against which the financial storms raged in vain during the entire period of the great world-war.

"For fifty years we clung to the most unscientific banking and currency system in the world. Five times within the thirty years preceding the passage of the Federal Reserve Act financial catastrophe came upon us in the very midst of apparent business prosperity and contentment. These disasters ensued from two fundamental defects of the old system, one an inelastic bond-secured currency and the other an utterly fictitious bank reserve.

"Under the old system we proceeded upon the assumption that the country always needed a volume of currency equal to its bonded indebtedness, and never at any time required less, whereas we frequently did not need near as much as was outstanding and just as often could have absorbed vastly more than was available.

"The business of the country was made to suffer by this rigid currency system in times of stirring development and enterprising activity. It could not begin to meet the commercial and industrial requirements of the country. The total capitalization of the national banks, under the old system, measured their full capacity to respond to the currency requirements of the country.

"Thus, in time of panic, such as that which convulsed the country in 1907, these banks found it impossible to utilize their gilt-edge, short-time commercial paper in exchange for currency wherewith to respond to the requirements of business. Practically all the banks were in the same desperate plight, every one, with rare exceptions, looking out for itself, with no other source of supply.

"The Federal Reserve Act revolutionized this wretched currency system. It substituted for a rigid bond-secured circulating medium, unresponsive at any time to the commercial requirements of the nation, a perfectly elastic currency, based on the sound, liquid commercial assets of the country, responsive at all times and to the fullest extent to every reasonable demand of legitimate enterprises.

"It is a currency which comes forth when required and is canceled when not needed. The amount is ample when business is active and only enough when business is lax. Every dollar of it is based on a stable commercial transaction, whether of a mercantile, industrial or agricultural nature, fortified by a 40 per cent gold reserve, by the assets of a great banking system, by the double liability of member banks, and by the pledged faith of a government of a hundred million free citizens.

"The Federal Reserve Act corrected the old vicious bank reserve system by establishing regional reserve banks and making them, instead of private banks in the money centers, the custodians of the reserve funds of the United States; by making these regional banks, instead of private correspondent banks, the great rediscount agencies of the country; by requiring these regional banks to minister to commerce and industry rather than to the schemes of speculative adventure.

"Under the old regime we had been taught to believe that the balance of the country was dependent on the money centers. Under the new dispensation the fact was quickly revealed that the money centers are dependent on the balance of the country. Under the old system the country banks were subservient to the money centers, for only there could they resort for rediscount favors. Under the new system it is no longer a question of favor; it is purely a question of business.

"The whole startling contrast between the old system and the new may be summed up in the single statement that in 1907, under the old system, the failure of two banks in New York city precipitated the greatest financial panic that ever afflicted the nation. Under the new system, the greatest war of recorded history failed to create a ripple of alarm in the banking community of the United States!

"In the panic of 1907 New York could not let a country bank have \$30,000 of currency to meet the ordinary requirements of trade. In 1915 New York loaned two European nations \$300,000,000 for the prosecution of war."

"Today, the United States has bought back from foreign nations in excess of \$3,000,000,000 of American securities, has loaned foreign nations \$11,000,000,000 for purposes of war, has floated on Government account \$18,000,000,000 of Liberty Bonds and War Savings Certificates, not to mention the billions of dollars of Treasury certificates of indebtedness issued in anticipation of the Liberty Loans.

"The twelve reserve banks alone have engaged in commercial rediscount operations approximating \$1,500,000,000 and have made open market purchases amounting to \$1,818,000,000. The regional banks hold a gold reserve of \$2,100,000,000, an increase over last year of \$102,000,000. Notwithstanding the splendid provision made for the tremendous military and commercial needs of the country, the system maintains today a gold reserve of 53.7 per cent behind its notes and of 63.7 behind its combined note and credit issues."

INBREEDING TESTS WITH GUINEA PIGS

Valuable Facts Collected by Bureau of Animal Industry.

Certain Disadvantages, Formerly Difficult to Explain, Sometimes Appeared in Experiments Conducted at Beltsville.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Breeding facts valuable to live stock raisers are being collected by the bureau of animal industry through experiments on its farm at Beltsville, Md. Experiments on the effects of inbreeding in guinea pigs, begun in 1906, already have been carried to the eighteenth generation wholly by mating brother and sister. Inbreeding is a practice frequently used by live stock raisers in their efforts to fix and render prepotent desirable family traits. With the practical results hoped for, however, certain disadvantages, formerly difficult to explain, sometimes appeared.

Present progress of the government inbreeding investigations with guinea pigs has developed the following points of interest:

The mere fact that the closest inbreeding can be carried to the eighteenth generation without any very obvious degeneration is noteworthy.

There has been, however, some decline in vitality, size, and, especially fertility.

The young produced by crossing different inbred families show distinct improvement in all respects.

The inbreeding has brought to light, and automatically fixed in 23 inbred families, pronounced differences in fertility, size, vitality, color and pattern.

There is independent heredity of these traits, with no correlation between the vigor of a family in one respect and its vigor in others.

The chief effect of inbreeding, as indicated by the experiments, is the fixation of hereditary factors. The decline in vigor on inbreeding and the improvement on crossing appear to be merely very likely, but inevitable, consequences. If breeders use great care in the selection of breeding stock, there appears to be no cause which prevents a satisfactory degree of vigor from being combined with the uniformity and prepotency which can only be obtained through close breeding.

GREAT IMPORTANCE OF ICE

Appreciated More in Country Home Than in City—Indispensable for Dairy Products.

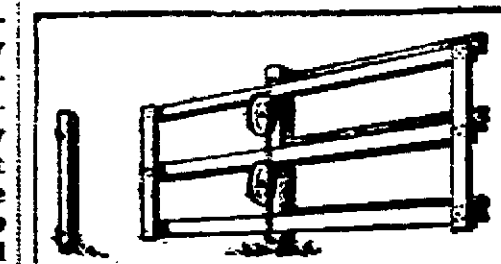
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

An ample supply of ice is of greater economic importance in the country home than in the city home. City people can purchase perishable supplies as needed, but the remoteness of country homes from markets often renders it necessary to use canned, corned or smoked meat products during the season of the year when the table should be supplied with fresh meats. Not only is ice appreciated because of its use in the preservation of fresh meat, butter, and other table supplies, but the production of high-grade domestic dairy products is almost impossible without it. Many markets to which milk is now shipped demand that it be cooled before shipment to a degree not attainable without the use of ice.

FARM GATE EASY TO HANDLE

Two-Flanged Pulleys Can Be Made to Serve as Hangers—Is Quite Handy for Cattle Lots.

If there are any two-flanged pulleys about the place they may be made to serve as gate hangers quite satisfactorily. Two old well pulleys will do, writes D. R. Van Horn in Oklahoma.



Gate for Cattle Lots.

Farmer. Put them on the gate post with long lag screws and nail a strip of old iron to the lower edge of the panels that are to run on the wheels. Strap iron from the top of an old wagon box will do for this purpose. An iron rod placed as shown in the drawing keeps the gate from being dismounted and thrown off. This makes a handy gate for the cattle lots but is too insecure for hogs.

UNUSED WATER FROM SPRING

May Be Made Valuable If Brought to Watering Trough, Cooling Tank or Harvested as Ice.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The unused water from a spring or flowing well may be made valuable if brought to a watering trough, cooling tank, fish pond, or swimming pool, or harvested as ice. A saving may be effected by laying two lines of pipe in one trench. The engine which drives the pump may operate other useful appliances such as a dynamo, saw, washing machine, cream separator, or churn.



DOULTRY

PREVENTION IS ALWAYS BEST

Timely Measures Properly Applied Offer Surest Means of Control—Killing Often Advisable.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Poultry raisers who wait until disease appears in the flock and then prepare to make a defensive attack are likely to be successful only in rare cases. By far the best plan is to care for the flock in such a way that disease will not appear. The aim in controlling the diseases of poultry is, they add, to learn how to prevent them rather than how to cure.

To enlighten poultry owners as to the characteristics of the more important diseases in order that they may intelligently use the most improved methods of combating them Farmers' Bulletin 957, "Important Poultry Diseases," has recently been published by the department. The causes, symptoms, from aspergillosis (brooder pneumonia) to worms, are given in this publication.

As all poultry is susceptible to many diseases, some of which are highly infectious and resist all efforts of treatment, the bulletin suggests that when birds become sick it is often the best plan to kill them. The greater the number of birds kept upon any farm or plot of ground, and the more they are crowded together, the more important are the measures for excluding, eradicating, and preventing the development of the causes of disease.

When disease appears among poultry the fowls should be removed from the poultry yard and a good coating of freshly slaked lime should be applied to the entire surface of the ground, according to the bulletin. After a few days it should be plowed and then cultivated three or four times at intervals of a week and finally sowed with oats, rye or other grain. It is best to leave the ground uncultivated until the winter has passed. After the fowls have been returned the premises must be frequently cleaned and occasionally disinfected.

The drinking fountains and feed troughs must be washed every week with boiling water or other disinfectant, and if any lice or mites are found on the birds or in the house the roosts and adjoining parts of the walls should be painted with a mixture of kerosene, one quart, and crude carbolic acid or crude creosol, one teacupful. The



Dry, Well-Ventilated and Lighted Houses Promote Health in Poultry Flocks.

house may be whitewashed with freshly slaked lime or sprayed with kerosene emulsion. In case of an actual outbreak of a virulent disease it is well to add to each gallon of the whitewash six ounces of crude carbolic acid. Good disinfectants destroy the germs of contagious diseases, the external parasites, such as lice and mites, and in some cases the eggs of parasitic worms, and should be used frequently in and about the poultry house.

PLAN FOR MARKETING EGGS

Infertile Product Will Withstand Conditions Much Better Than Fertile—Ship Often.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Market white-shelled and brown-shelled eggs in separate packages.

When selling eggs to the country merchant or cash buyer insist that the transaction be on the quality basis.

Ship or deliver eggs at least twice or three times weekly.

Small or dirty eggs should be used at home.

When taking eggs to market they should be protected from the sun's rays.

Infertile eggs will withstand marketing conditions much better than fertile eggs.

METHODS FOR FEEDING CORN

Hens Get Considerable Exercise When Fed on Cob—Supply in Dry Litter Satisfactory.

Hens can be fed corn on cob and will secure considerable exercise in picking it off, but the cobs should be picked out frequently. Feeding shelled corn in a deep, dry litter is also a satisfactory way.

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Why Navy Blue.

The blue color so prominent in the uniforms of almost all marines is of hoary origin. Vegetius, in his fifth book on the military affairs of the Romans, traces the origin of this color to the Veneti, an ancient people dwelling near the coast of Biscay and well versed in seamanship. It was customary among them to paint their outgoing ships as well as the masts and sails with a blue color; also their soldiers and sailors wore blue uniforms. According to our author, the Latin word "Venetus," which was both the name of the color and that of the people, points to its origin. From the Veneti the custom was adopted by the Romans. Thus the son of Pompeius, after defeating Caesar's fleet in a naval battle, wore the navy blue, although entitled to the purple. The Veneti were subdued by Caesar after a severe maritime war in 56 B. C.

Keeping a Diary.

Every once in a while we read of men who have kept diaries for years and years—since babyhood or longer. What a weird idea to be locked up in that relentless manner with the past! Only of course they don't really. They say they did, but they lie about it.

We saw one of these diaries once. Six months of it were filled with two entries repeated over and over: "Saw May," "Did not see May." The last entry was, "Married May."

That was the only sensible diary we ever saw, and we haven't a doubt in the world that it was all faked up afterward to jolly along May.—Los Angeles Times.

"Gude Tidins o' Muckle Joy."

The Scottish American reprints the story of the first Christmas in dialect from "The New Testament in Braid Scots," a translation by the Rev. William Wye Smith. Here are sample verses (Luke ii: 10-12):

And the angel said, "Be na gliff'd; for I bring ye gude tidins o' muckle joy to the hail world! For that is born t' ye this day, in Dauid's toun, a Saviour, wha is the Anointed Lord. And here is the token for ye; ye see the bairn rowt in a barriecoot, lyin' in a manger."—The Outlook.

Get and a little tintured with pride. He has a good, manly countenance, and he owns himself to be amorous. He has infinite vivacity, yet is observed at times to have a melancholy cast. He is rather fat than lean, rather short than tall, rather young than old. His shoes are neatly made, and he never wears spectacles."

This brings the excellent Boswell very very close to us indeed; he might almost be a member of the Author's leasure. Especially apple pie, bless his heart.

A TWICE-TOLD TALE.

One of Interest to Our Readers.

Good news bears repeating, and when it is confirmed after a long lapse of time, even if we hesitate to believe it at first hearing, we feel secure in accepting its truth now. The following experience of a Gettysburg woman is confirmed after six years.

Mrs. Mary A. Gilbert, 128 W. Middle St., says: "My health was in a bad condition for some time, caused by disordered kidneys. I wasn't able to sleep much and what rest I did get didn't seem to refresh me. My back and head ached and frequently I'd get dizzy spells and chills. When I caught cold, these symptoms became worse. One of the family advised me to get Doan's Kidney Pills and I bought a supply at the People's Drug Store. Doan's certainly do just as advertised, for they gave me prompt relief in every way and I gladly endorse them."

(Statement given January 3, 1910.) On February 14, 1916, Mrs. Gilbert added: "My opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills hasn't changed, and I can recommend them as highly as ever. Doan never fail to give the desired results, so I gladly back up my former statement."

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John B. Musselman.—Letters testamentary on the estate of John B. Musselman, late of Hamilton township, Adams County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOSEPH W. MUSSELMAN, Executor, Fairfield, Pa. R. F. Topper, Esq., Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Emma Gross, late of the Township of Tyrone, Adams county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

MARY RUPP, Administratrix, Hampton, Pa. Or her Atty., Wm. Arch. McGlean, Gettysburg, Pa.

RAGS WANTED

Clean White Rags Wanted at this office.

PUBLIC SCHOOL CENTRAL AND FINAL EXAMINATIONS

LIST OF THE TEACHERS IN CHARGE OF THE CENTRAL EXAMINATIONS APR. 26

Final Examinations on May 3, and Rules Applying to Both the Examinations

CENTRAL EXAMINATIONS.

The Central Examinations for 1919, in the Seventh Grade, will be held at the following places, in charge of the herein named committees. April 26th at 8.30 o'clock A. M.

Abolts town.—Samuel A. Johnston, chairman; Samuel A. Nagle, Luther A. Yohe, Mary E. Elder, Estella M. Hale, and Ruth E. Kinneman.

Arundelville.—George M. Rice, chairman; Lillian B. Minter, Eva M. Boyer, Zella C. Minter, Eliza A. Thomas, and Verna G. Bosserman.

Biglerville.—Harvey E. Swartz, chairman; M. Mabel Mellon, Maude M. Pensyl, Roy E. Hull, Zeal R. Peters, Vera F. Becker and Harold E. Taylor.

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1. Pupils must present a report from their teacher in order to be permitted to take the examination.

2. Certificates will be given to those making an average of seventy with no mark below fifty.

3. Applicants desiring any information should ask the examiner; communicating with any one other than the examiner will disqualify the applicant.

4. Members of the committee, other than the chairman, will report the grades in their respective branches to the chairman; he will arrange and report to the County Superintendent.

5. Teachers named on the committees will not serve if they have pupils or members of their family in the class but are requested to secure a substitute at an early day and notify the chairman. If any member of the committee cannot serve he will please notify the chairman.

6. Blanks for the teacher's report will be furnished by the Superintendent upon request.

7. Mark the papers as follows: (1) Put a cross mark at every error in fact, in spelling, in punctuation, in capitalization and in syntax. (2) Mark on the margin opposite the answer the per cent. you think it is worth. (3) Add the credits and mark the result in per cent. at the top of each manuscript. (4) The name of the examiner of each set of papers shall be written at the end of each manuscript.

The examination will include the following common branches: spelling, reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, grammar, history, physiology.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS.

The Final Examination for 1919, in the Seventh and Eighth Grades, will be held in the High School Building, Gettysburg, Saturday, May 3, at 8.30 o'clock A. M.

The examination will be under the supervision of the County Superintendent who will be assisted by a committee of teachers.

1. The examination will include the common branches.

2. Members of the committee, whose pupils or members of their family enter this class, will be excused from serving.

3. If any member of the committee cannot be present at the examination he will please notify the County Superintendent.

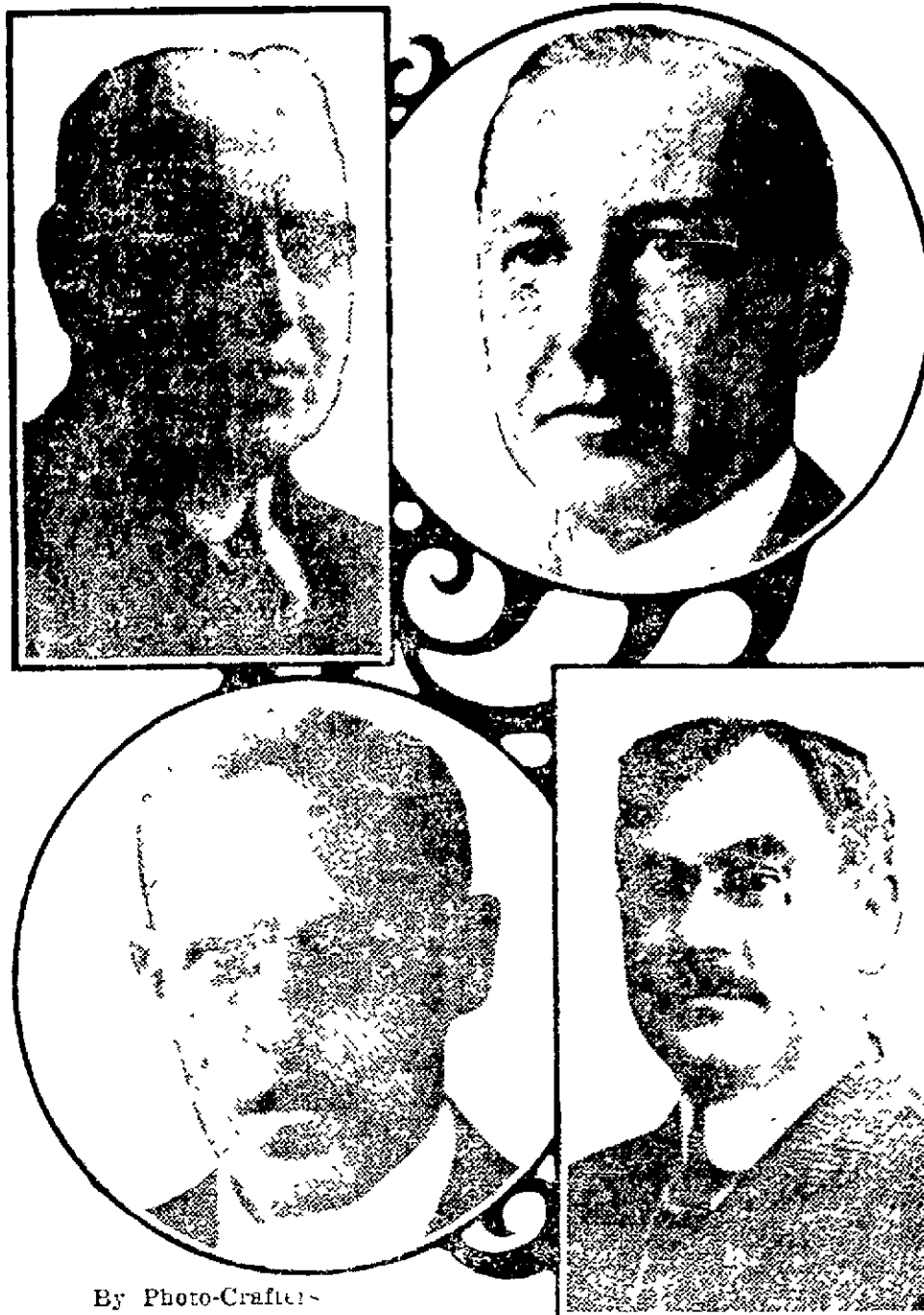
4. Diplomas will be granted to those making an average of seventy with no mark below fifty.

5. The aim of this examination is twofold: (1) To graduate pupils from the Eighth Grade and thereby permitting non-residents to enter High School. (2) To unify High School entrance requirements and to furnish a basis of comparison for principals and teachers. We, therefore, suggest that each principal of the county should give this examination to his eighth grade and report to us as suggested above. High School principals in admitting pupils from their own grade schools are not required to pass them upon this test. They may give them an additional examination, if they desire.

6. Non-resident pupils are required to pass the Central and Final Examinations or their equivalent and receive the common school diploma in order to attend High School at the expense of their district.

QUARTET OF LOAN LEADERS IN PENNSYLVANIA'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE

These County Representatives Are Putting Real Vim Into the Local Drives.



By Photo-Crafters

Upper Left—ALLEN P. PERLEY, Williamsport.
Lower Left—ARTHUR PECK, Philadelphia.

Upper Right—JOHN S. FISHER, Harrisburg.
Lower Right—CHARLES F. HESS, Wilkes-Barre.

U. S. A GOOD FINANCIER

Other Nations' Cash Helps to Pay Liberty Loan Interest.

Uncle Sam has done some clever financing in this war. Almost one-half of the interest due on the Liberty Loans, including the Victory Loan, will be paid by interest which Uncle Sam as a result of judicious credits will collect from foreign governments.

With the Victory Loan included the United States will face annual interest payments of about \$1,000,000,000. This money goes into the pockets of American investors. But something like \$500,000,000 of it will be offset by the interest payments which the big European powers must make to Uncle Sam.

Great Britain is debtor to the United States in the sum of \$4,177,961,000. She pays about \$207,000,000 a year interest on her loans. France has loans totaling \$2,136,427,000 and her interest payments to Uncle Sam are about \$121,000,000 a year. Italy with loans of \$1,310,000,000 pays us about \$63,000,000 a year in interest. The smaller powers also swell the total.

All of these loans were negotiated, of course, on the best of security and they are doing a big share in lightening the taxation out of which the interest on Uncle Sam's own borrowings must be paid.

GERMANY OWES SOME BILL

Victory Liberty Loan a Trifle by Comparison

Germany debtor to the Allied Powers: To one defeat (defeated November 11, 1918) ... \$120,000,000,000. "Please remit."

One hundred and twenty billions. That's the way the bill reads.

People who think victory comes high at six billions—the estimate of the Victory Liberty Loan—will do well to study the above bill. It is the just indemnity which the Peace Conference Committee on Reparations has decided Germany ought to pay.

And a large part of it is to be collected immediately. France alone insists upon an immediate payment of \$5,000,000,000 on account. The other nations who have suffered from Germany's method of war making will also present eight drafts for collection. Payment of the total sum is to be made in 25 to 35 years.

Paying off this staggering debt is a job that makes the flotation of a six billion loan seem trifling. The German people will not have the opportunity to pay it through the easy means of popular loans. This is a method of financing war debts reserved for the victors.

And the Allied indemnity is not based on a theory of loot. It is an honest claim for damages suffered.

SMILE AND FINISH THE JOB!



DRUGGISTS! VICK'S VAPORUB SHORTAGE OVERCOME AT LAST

The Deal Scheduled for Last November, which was postponed on account of the Influenza Epidemic, is now Reinstated—Good during the Month of March.

OVER ONE MILLION JARS OF VAPORUB PRODUCED EACH WEEK.

It is with pride that we announce to the drug trade that the shortage of Vick's Vaporub, which has lasted since last October, is now overcome. Since January 1st, we have been running our laboratory twenty-three and a half hours out of every twenty-four. Last week we shipped the last of our back orders, and retail druggists, therefore, are no longer requested to order in small quantities only.

NOVEMBER DEAL REINSTATED

This deal, which we had expected to put on last November and which had to be postponed on account of the shortage of Vaporub is reinstated for the month of March. This allows a discount of 10 per cent on shipments from jobbers' stock of quantities of from 1 to 4 gross. 5 per cent of this discount is allowed by the jobber and 5 per cent by us.

We advise the retail druggists to place their orders immediately, so that the jobbers will be able to get prompt shipments to them.

THANKS OF THE PUBLIC DUE THE DRUG TRADE DURING THE INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC

The thanks of the American public are certainly due the entire drug trade—retail, wholesale and manufacturing—for what they accomplished during the recent influenza epidemic. The war caused a shortage of physicians—nurses were almost impossible to obtain—the demand on United States

the drug trade was unexpected and overwhelming, and to this demand they responded nobly. Retail druggists kept open day and night and slept where they dropped behind the prescription counter. Wholesale druggists called their salesmen off the road to help fill orders—hundreds wired us to ship Vick's Vaporub by the quickest route, regardless of expense.

TREMENDOUS JOB TO INCREASE OUR PRODUCTION

In this emergency we have tried to do our part. We scoured the country for raw materials—our Traffic Manager spent his days riding freight cars in—we shipped raw materials in carload lots by express and pleaded with manufacturers to increase their deliveries to us.

But it was a slow process. Some of our raw materials are produced only in Japan—supplies in this country were low and shipments required three months to come from the Far East. Then we had to recruit and train skilled labor. We brought our salesmen into the factory and trained them as foremen. We invented new machinery, and we had to install it on Christmas Day, so as not to interfere with our daily production.

143 JARS OF VAPORUB EVERY MINUTE DAY AND NIGHT

By January 1st we had everything ready to put on our night shift, and since then our laboratory has been running day and night. To feed our automatic machines, which drop out one hundred and forty-three jars of Vaporub a minute or one million and eighty thousand weekly, has required a force of 500 people. Our Cafe Department, created for the benefit of these workers, served 7,000 meals during the month of January alone.

13 MILLION JARS OF VAPORUB DISTRIBUTED SINCE OCTOBER

An idea of the work we have accomplished this Fall may be given by our production figures—13,028,976 jars of Vaporub manufactured and distributed since last October—one jar for every two families in the entire United States.

During the influenza epidemic, Vick's Vaporub was used as an external application in connection with the Physician's treatment, and thousands of people, unable to obtain a doctor, relied on Vick's almost exclusively. Literally millions of families all over the country, from California to Maine, and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, have found Vick's Vaporub the ideal home remedy for croup and cold troubles.



VICK'S VAPORUB

GOOD PRINTING

Can only be obtained in the best equipped office. That is why

The COMPILER

Brand of Printing is used by the business men of the county.

QUALITY

marks our printing with a style and distinctness all its own.

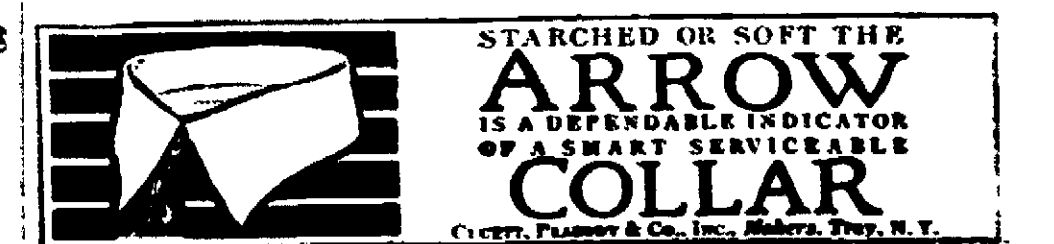
THE PROOF

of the pudding is in the eating. This saying applies to good printing in the same manner.

MORAL.

TRY US AND SEE

Let us do that next job for you. Our printing gets results.



ALMS HOUSE ACCOUNT. (Continued from page 4).

Dr. Eugene Elgin to	75.00
Dr. E. W. Stuck to	12.00
Dr. M. M. Pluege to	0.50
Harry Little	213.50
OIL, PAINTS, AND HARDWARE.	
Atlantic Refining Co.,	40.15
Gettysburg Dept. Store	230.80
Adams Co. Hardware	259.62
Great Western Oil Co.	4.00
DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS.	
G. M. Rider	67.38
G. H. Knease	2.38
G. W. Weaver & Son	104.69
Sheely Bros.	24.61
G. M. Knease	21.69
G. M. Knease	77.57
Dougherty & Hartley	77.36
H. A. Koehler & Co.	90.54
C. C. Spangler	80.05
J. A. Hartman	99.74
Geo. A. Musselman	35.64
GROCERIES.	
G. M. Rider	209.13
Geo. H. Dutta	31.21
Gettysburg Dept. Store	213.04
S. P. Wisotzky	38.40
F. A. Miller	32.88
Peoples Cash Store	245.64
Good & Kline	125.82
Leo H. Miller	4.32
Lewis Waggoner	138.85
C. C. Spangler	163.56
C. A. Yoost	160.48
J. H. Myers	103.85
G. W. Miller	39.05
G. W. Miller	90.29
E. Wineman	11.57
J. H. Buntz	99.42
COFFEE.	
G. M. Rider	82.56
E. C. Wolckley	15.71
Geo. H. Miller	4.50
Lewis Waggoner	22.50
A. C. Miller	43.92
Peoples Cash Store	7.60
C. C. Spangler	29.00
C. A. Yoost	15.50
Mrs. J. H. Myers	37.90
G. W. Miller	28.50
H. J. Buntz	45.19
SOAP, LYE AND BLUEING.	
G. M. Rider	21.60
C. C. Lower	2.80
Good & Kline	15.35
Midway Packing Co.	39.60
Lewis Waggoner	13.02
C. C. Spangler	12.75
C. A. Yoost	21.60
Mrs. J. H. Myers	17.30
G. W. Miller	22.22
P. A. Miller	20.18
Adams Soap and Washline Co.	16.50
H. J. Buntz	17.80
TOBACCO.	
G. M. Rider	61.74
H. J. Buntz	30.60
J. C. Lower	17.00
Peoples Cash Store	17.00
Good & Kline	35.84
Lewis Waggoner	30.54
C. C. Spangler	11.28
C. A. Yoost	32.64
G. W. Miller	32.50
P. A. Miller	33.89
J. D. Pohlman	49.72
TOILET PAPER.	
G. M. Rider	13.00
J. C. Lower	3.50
Lewis Waggoner	3.50
C. A. Yoost	6.80
J. D. Pohlman	11.20
SYRUP.	
J. C. Lower & Co.	283.29
Edmund United Co.	28.50
DISINFECTANTS.	
Cooking Chemical Co.	41.40
Nat. Sanitary Assn.	61.00
Worrell Mfg. Co.	47.50
Griffin Mfg. Co.	22.70
SPECIAL ORDERS OF RELIEF.	
J. A. Miller to John	5.50
Ruby & Oyle to Mrs.	4.50
Ruby & Oyle to Wash.	2.00
Edmund United Co.	2.00
J. A. Miller to Mary	5.01
Edmund United Co.	5.00
BROOMS.	
P. A. Miller	7.55
Edmund United Co.	35.00
THRESHING.	
Chas. Carey	80.45
PLUMBING, TIN REPAIRS AND BLACKSMITHING.	
H. E. Riddemose	8.00
Wm. W. Funt	9.55
W. C. Hest	4.80
Chas. O. Rosenfield	70.55
Thos. J. Windreuer	23.17
A. J. Smith & Son	40.55
E. D. Amos & Son	117.90
W. M. Conover	10.30
BEEF, PORK AND LARD.	
Clayton King	56.47
Howard Brown	16.64
Wm. Rider	29.40
G. C. Marling	40.04
Oscar Golden	24.41
S. C. Jett	17.94
Jacob Frommeyer	49.60
Walter Snyder	58.73
A. J. Hawn	33.74
Edward Galt	48.44
Edmund United Co.	211.15
H. L. Baker	83.10
W. A. Taubman	11.55
Edmund United Co.	129.71
Edmund United Co.	27.44
Edmund United Co.	14.88
Edmund United Co.	37.40
Edmund United Co.	68.14
OATHS AND COMMITMENTS.	
J. H. Lihy	10.00
J. L. Hill	2.50
J. A. Apple	4.50
Geo. L. Rice	4.50
Henry Butler	1.00
H. G. Williams	.75
MILES, CATTLE AND HOGS BOUGHT.	
Chas. N. Worley	127.50
C. A. Sanders	105.00
George Gephart	61.80
Edmund United Co.	550.00
Robert McNair	1756.46
CLOTHING AND UNDERWEAR.	
O. H. Lutz	175.70
Lewis Waggoner	68.18
Edmund United Co.	108.75
Edmund United Co.	12.50
Edmund United Co.	42.00
SHOES AND RUBBERS.	
O. H. Lutz	18.74
J. A. Knease	24.80
Edmund United Co.	2.69
H. A. Koehler & Co.	34.00
SHOE REPAIRING.	
John H. Stock	67.05
UNCLASSIFIED.	
Gettysburg Ice & Storage Co.	12.00
Chas. A. Lee, double heater	40.00
H. B. Baker, beds, spring and casket	104.00
Edmund United Co.	21.94
H. P. Stambaugh, attending adult	10.00
Oyle & Spangler, posts	18.50
S. L. Bishop, 7 Acres timber	350.00
Edmund United Co.	3.20
H. J. Buntz, feed bins	7.50
Edmund United Co.	76.57
Edmund United Co.	21.00
C. A. Hadden, auto	5.00
Edmund United Co.	2.50
Edmund United Co.	50.53

G. W. O. Heagy, Alms	3.25
Mary Overman, nursing	18.00
C. Moul & Co. 4 washing machines	26.00
H. P. Stambaugh, minute book	.50
E. J. Althoff, stove and brick	15.00
Mrs. H. A. Sheely, parlor suite	25.00
Alex. Lawrence, nursing	30.00
	\$ 862.11
DRUGS.	
Knouse & Knouse	\$ 69.75
Wm. H. Rorer	12.10
People's Drug Store	295.88
	\$ 377.73
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.	
Dr. J. C. Petty	\$ 20.00
Dr. H. L. Diehl	20.00
Dr. E. D. Hudson & Son	12.50
Dr. R. H. Lindaman	10.50
Dr. W. C. Stiek	5.00
Dr. Geo. L. Rice	5.00
Dr. W. F. Hollinger	35.00
	\$ 108.00
LUMBER, FEED AND GRINDING.	
L. C. Plank	\$ 126.54
C. M. Wolf	380.45
J. W. McIlenny	28.25
	\$ 535.24
POTATOES.	
Willis Pitzer	\$ 67.80
Calvin Lader	10.90
Samuel Black	40.20
Geo. W. Buohl	72.55
Chas. Taylor	170.00
E. C. McDannell	153.00
Fred Showers	178.50
	\$ 688.55
BARBER WORK.	
John A. Meals	\$ 30.00
J. Frank Sheely	25.00
	\$ 55.00
POSTAGE AND PRINTING.	
Wm. F. Weaver	35.00
C. E. Stable	12.80
Gettysburg Times	12.24
Gettysburg Compiler	15.00
INSURANCE.	
Geo. A. Klinge	117.70
Marlin Winter	371.93
Dougherty & Hartley	117.65
F. V. Topper	35.31
S. Miley Miller	8.70
CIDER, APPLES AND VINEGAR.	
Alvin Minter	5.30
H. W. Taylor	6.30
E. J. Bumgarner	2.10
C. L. Osborne	73.54
WATER RENT.	
Gettysburg Water Co.	254.52
WHITE WASHING.	
Edward Morgan	27.00
Milton Jacobs	22.75
FISH.	
Geo. W. Buohl	8.78
COAL, WOOD AND LIME.	
W. Oyle & Bro.	1020.86
E. F. Strawbaugh	324.54
Scott, Bros.	104.63
J. W. McIlenny	45.00
Wm. Hemler	45.00
FERTILIZER.	
Frank Eckert	98.25
N. L. Lightner	40.50
Oyle & Spangler	97.60
J. A. Hartman	97.60
D. Blocher & Co.	57.00
E. C. Thomas	190.35

Annah Norbeck, Gettysburg 5.00

Caroline E. Rider, Mt. Pleasant Twp.	9.00
Mary A. Rickrode, McSherrystown	12.00
Adeline Rhodes, Hamilton Twp.	12.00
Isaac Roth, Biglerville	20.00
Mary E. Ruel, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
David E. Rutter, McSherrystown	20.00
Mary M. Rutter, McSherrystown	20.00
Mary J. Rutter, Abbottstown	15.00
Blenor V. Reaver, Highland Twp.	20.00
Maria C. Spangler, Reading Twp.	20.00
Wm. H. Shantz, McSherrystown	20.00
Lucinda C. Sterner, Littlestown	20.00
Amos D. Stoner, Fairfield	16.00
Mitilda Smith, Gettysburg	20.00
Apollonia Shybaugh, Mt. Pleasant Twp.	18.00
Geo. E. Shaffer, Berwick Twp.	10.00
James A. Strausbaugh, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Mary A. Shantz, Gettysburg	20.00
Louisa Strausbaugh, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Emma E. Shultz, Franklin Twp.	16.00
Susan C. Shirley, Hamilton Twp.	12.00
Mary J. Smith, Gettysburg	20.00
Corzella E. Sanders, Liberty Twp.	15.00
Joseph Shumaker, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Paul Smith, Gettysburg	20.00
Verna V. Sanders, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Willis Sanders, Hamilton Twp.	15.00
Corzella E. Shantz, Gettysburg	20.00
Emma L. Shultz, Conowing Twp.	16.00
Ellen M. Shultz, Franklin Twp.	5.00
Susan E. Shultz, Franklin Twp.	5.00
John W. Shantz, Hamilton Twp.	5.00
James W. Toner, Menallen Twp.	20.00
Sadie C. Taylor, Menallen Twp.	20.00
Andrew W. Topper, Straban Twp.	20.00
Mary E. Vaughn, Gettysburg	20.00
Mary E. Wilkison, Hamilton Twp.	12.00
Thomas Wilkison, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Mary Weaver, Butler Twp.	20.00
Wm. H. Weaver, Highland Twp.	20.00
Thaddeus Winand, Berwick Twp.	20.00
Sarah A. Waggoner, Gettysburg	20.00
Sarah A. Gilly, Littlestown	20.00
Barbara Wolf, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
J. Paul Wolf, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Franklin Wolf, Hamilton Twp.	20.00
Isaac Weigle, Tyrone Twp.	12.00

PUBLIC SALE.
On Monday, March 31, 1919.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his farm, formerly the Samuel Wagner farm, at Swift Run, Straban township, Adams county 2 1-2 miles north-west of New Oxford, about the same distance from New Chester and Hunterstown, 1 mile south of Pines Church, the following personal property: **3 Horses and 1 Mule.** One roan horse 7 years old, 10 hands high, good single driver, works wherever hitched except single line; 1 bay horse 10 years old, 10 1-2 hands high, a good safe driver, single line leader and works wherever hitched; 1 dark bay horse 14 years old, 10 hands high, good driver and works anywhere except with single line, would especially suit an aged person as he has good speed and is very gentle; 1 mule 14 years old, 17 hands high, very good single line leader, good and regular saddle mule in team, safe single driver and is a No. 1 all around mule. The above animals are all gentle and fearless of steam, automobiles or trolley cars. **5 Head of Cattle.** Three good milch cows, 2 fresh at sale the other to be fresh about Oct. 1st; 2 of these cows are very large and well bred Durham and should draw the attention of persons wanting good cows for dairy or breeding purposes; 1 heifer 2 yrs. old; 1 Red Durham bull 1 year old, fit for service. **Chester White Hogs.** 1 brood sow with pigs by her side; these pigs will be 4 1-2 weeks old by day of sale; 22 shoats from 2 1-2 to 3 months old, all full Chester White and in thriving condition. Three Nanny goats, one of them pure white; 1 farm bell. Sale to begin at 1 o'clock when terms will be made known by

J. H. H. MILLAR.
G. R. Thompson, Auct.
Geo. D. Sheely, Clerk.

Also at the same time and place and under the same conditions I will offer for sale **1 Good Sorrel Mare** 10 years old, a fine worker and driver, fearless of automobiles, any boy can handle her and any person can drive her; **3 Milk Cows**, 1 a fine Roan Durham with 4th calf by her side; 1 No. 1 cow, dark in color, with 6th calf by her side; good black cow, carrying 5th calf; to be fresh in November. These cows are big straight baggers.

F. E. M. YEAGY,
—Miss Helen Wierman and Miss Margaret Mundorff, of York, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanders, East Middle street.

CHICKEN RAISERS.
To the Farmers and Poultrymen of Adams County. We have started our chicken feed mill and are ready to manufacture your corn into the nicest chick feed in the State, and **FREE OF CHARGE.** Last season the farmers testify that they had 100 per cent better luck with our make of feed than with the dirty city feed. We have both feeds and hands, and our prices will be 4 cents per pound. Bring your corn shelled or unshelled, and in good bags. It takes about 5 minutes to the bushel. Corn meal 3 1-2 lb.

S. S. W. HAMMERS.

PUBLIC SALE.
On Saturday, March 22, 1919.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the above day and date, at his residence in Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., one-half mile west of Fairfield, the following personal property to wit: **Bay Mare** 10 years old, good driver and will work wherever hitched, fearless of all road objects, good **Cow**, 2 good road wagons, 1 is a rubber, falling top buggy, set of buggy harness, pair hames and traces, buggy collar, 2 choke straps, set of front gears, collar and bridle, spike harrow, 3-shovel corn worker, corn coverer, single shovel plow, good wheelbarrow, **Household Goods** consisting of tables, chairs, bureaus, stands, beds and many other articles not mentioned. Sale to begin at 1 o'clock. **Terms:** A credit of 6 months will be given; other terms will be made known on day of sale.

CHARLES F. REED, Agent.
Geo. Kebil, Auct.
J. A. Spangler, clerk.

\$100 Reward, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHERNEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists.

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BEARING AGE TREES—60c each
APPLES — PEARS — CHERRIES
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ORCHARD SIZE FRUIT TREES
50c each; \$50.00 per Hundred

Hedging 2-YEAR Plants
Barberry Thunbergii, 98.00 per 100
California Privet, - \$3.00 per 100

SPECIAL OFFER—Shrubs 3 to 4 ft.
Deutzia Pride of Rochester
Spirea Van Houttei — Spirea Golden
All 25c each

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900 GARRISON AVE., ROCHESTER, N.Y.

NOTICE.
The first and final account of Edward R. Pitzer, guardian of the person and estate of Emanuel Shetter, a person of weak mind, now deceased, has been filed in my office, and will be confirmed by the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pa., on the 28th day of April, A. D., at 10:30 A. M., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

G. HARRY ROTH, Prothonotary.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Susan Mowery, late of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment of same, and those having claims present them at once.

W. E. KAPP, Executor.
Biglerville, Pa.
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GLASS HITS AT LOAN "GLOOMS"

Treasury Head Has Supreme Faith in American Patriotism.

Upon the patriotism of the Amer-
ican people Carter Glass, Secretary
of the Treasury, places full reliance
for the success of the Victory Liberty
Loan.

Mr. Glass does not agree with the
"glooms" who contend that commer-
cialism is in the hearts of the people
and that a spirit of avarice will re-
tard the loan. Sentiment and the
spirit of sacrifice are, in his opinion
just as closely allied to the present
campaign as they were to its prede-
cessors. He is confident that an ap-
peal to public patriotism will succeed
where a campaign based on strictly
commercial or profit-taking argument
would be ineffective.

In an interview he stated his rea-
sons for holding to the patriotic view,
as follows:

"Some men tell me it will be impos-
sible again to appeal to the patriot-
ism of the American people. Frankly,
I should despair of my country if
this were exactly true. I wonder if
those who talk in this fashion speak
considerately? They tell about the
"sacrifices" the American people have
made, and in their voices there is a
metallic tone and in their mien uncon-
scious austerity.

"What is meant by the 'sacrifices'
of war for America? Where are our
devastated fields and ruined cities?
Where our cathedrals destroyed and
homes profaned? Where our flooded
mines and pillaged factories? Where
our defunct women and saved chil-
dren and wrecked men? Where on
this wide continent does a larger stake
abroad or possible claim exist than
the thousands of victims?"

"Is it, then a serious 'sacrifice' to
invest one's money in the interest-
bearing obligations of one's govern-
ment in order to make everlastingly
secure the nation's treasury as well
as the nation's prosperity? Is it a
grave sacrifice to devote one's labor
to such a cause and in the process to
acquire the habit of thrift and sav-
ing, so easily lacking as a character-
istic of the American people?"

"Our allies fought for us nearly
three years before we began to fight
with them. For nearly two years of
time the United States profited tremen-
dously in a commercial and industrial
sense by the European war. Immense
fortunes were made; prosperity
prevailed over our land. Our domestic
trade was almost past computation;
our foreign trade in many lines
was epochal.

"France and Britain lost millions
of men killed and millions of others
wounded. Less than sixty thousand
American heroes sleep beneath the

sod of France. These men made the
supreme sacrifice. Should we dis-
honor their memories or diminish the
glory of their service by passing in
the cheerful performance of an im-
perative duty?"

"Do we quite fully appreciate the
sacrifices made by these boys for us
when we talk about discharging our
debt on a commercial basis, in a cold-
blooded way? All we do in this
campaign present a stark contrast
with the spirit of these American sol-
diers. To stand in the breach of
courage, pulled out and gave over his
life to help the Red Cross and
other wounded men!"

"I want to be sensible in dealing
with the Victory Loan. But as the
question looks to me, we should not
approach it in cold blood. We have a
right to invoke the patriotism of the
people. Upon this I shall confidently
rely; and I predict that the response
will in no measure disappoint the ex-
pectation of those who set a high
estimate upon the fine spirit of the
American nation.

"We call this last the Victory Lib-
erty Loan. It is that and more! It
is a Thanksgiving Loan. We are not
going to approach it strictly in a
commercial spirit. We are not going
to float it strictly on a commercial
basis. It is impossible to do it. A
little thought will teach the wisest
among the financiers of this country
that it is impossible now to float,
purely for investment purposes, a
loan of five or six billions of dollars.

"We have got to appeal to the pa-
triotism of the American people and
it will not be done in vain. There
are yet two million American boys in
France and Germany who must be
maintained in comfort and brought
home in safety and provided with em-
ployment on their return. While
congress is writing off the books \$15-
000,000,000 of authorizations, for which
public funds would have been expend-
ed had not the war suddenly termi-
nated, the government is still expend-
ing two billion dollars per month to
meet the honorable commitments of
the country.

"The honor of the government is
involved and I know that the appeal
of the American government to the
American people will meet a response
of which the nation will be proud."

HIGH 1918 BUSHEL WEIGHTS

Estimated Average for Wheat Placed
at 58 1/2 Against 58 1/2 in 1917—
Oats Also Gain.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.)

Investigation by the bureau of crop
estimates indicates an average weight
of 58 1/2 pounds per bushel for the wheat
crop of this country in 1918. The average
for 1917 was 58 1/2 pounds and the
ten-year average ending with 1917 was
58 1/2 pounds. The oats crop of the
United States in 1918 had an average
weight of 33 1/2 pounds per bushel and
for the preceding ten years 32 pounds.
An average weight of 46 1/2 pounds per
bushel is reported for the 1918 barley
crop, compared to 46 1/2 pounds for the
previous eight crops.

LARGE PROPORTION OF CORN CROP OF UNITED STATES HARVESTED FOR GRAIN



HARVESTING CORN WITH LABOR-BAVING MACHINERY.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.)

About four-fifths of the area in this
country planted to corn is harvested
for grain, the remainder of the crop
being cut for silage and for green
feed. Various practices govern the
harvesting of the mature grain. It is
estimated by the bureau of crop
estimates that 58 per cent is gathered
by snapping the ears; about 25 per
cent of the crop is cut and stacked in
the field; 9 per cent is cut and hauled
to the barn for husking; 3 per cent is
harvested by live stock in the field,
and that remaining practices are used
to harvest 6 per cent of the crop.

Big Waste in Burning

The burning of cornstalks is to be
condemned as a waste of a food and
fuel material, and yet about one-
fourth of the cornstalks left in the
field in the United States are disposed

of this way. This practice is fol-
lowed mostly in the South and some of
the corn belt and Pacific States. There
the stalks are usually burned in the
field. Where stalks are left in the
field more than one-half of such area,
in the whole country is plowed and
the stalks on one-third are plowed un-
der.

Forage From Corn Crop.

A large amount of forage is derived
from the corn crop. Besides the 19
per cent of the entire area that con-
sists of silage and green feed, 14 per
cent of that kept for grain is topped,
and on 12 per cent the leaves are pulled
off. Besides there is an enormous
amount of stover that is matted in
the field and is cut and fed in the win-
ter. It is estimated that the harvested
corn stover per acre averages over two
tons and that in many states the quan-
tity is three to four tons.

OCEAN HAS KEPT ITS SECRET

No One Knows What Became of the
Steamer President, Missing Since
March 1841.

The first steamer to be reported
missing was the President, which sail-
ed away from New York as long ago
as March, 1841. Perhaps it was be-
cause big steamers were then marvels
in the eyes of the people of both the
old and the new world that the whole
public of America and of Europe
thought of nothing but the missing
liner over a period of many weeks.
Ship after ship arrived which had
started after the President and still no
wordings of the missing ship came to
hand.

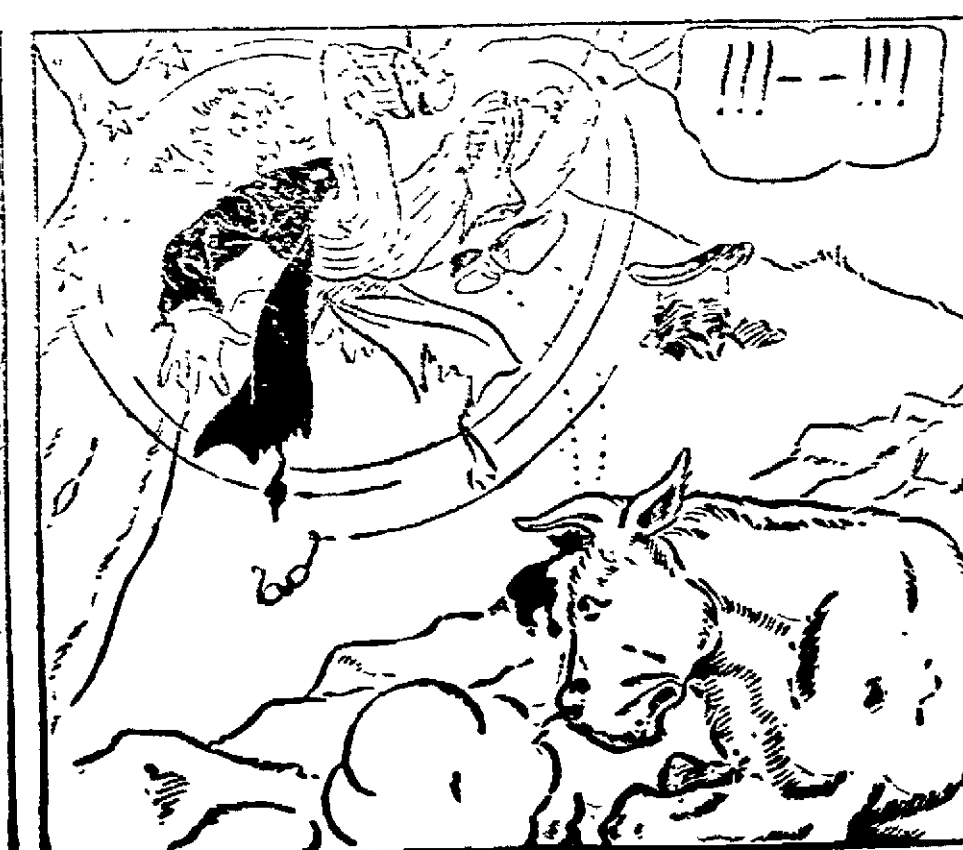
On April 13—unlucky day—a letter
was received by one of the family of
a passenger of the President, saying
that the missing ship had been driven
to Madeira with a damaged rudder.
Flags were hoisted and there was joy
on both sides of the Atlantic, but alas!
it was all a cruel hoax.

Since the ill-starred day when the
President left New York there have
been many missing ships, and the story
of the old American liner has been
repeated again and again, with per-
haps a slight variation in detail. Some
mysteries, although never actually
solved, give us something on which to
found a theory. The ship which sail-
ed away with a cargo of railway ma-
terials, matches and gunpowder and was
afterward reported "missing," may
have sunk, but Sherlock Holmes would
probably have thought otherwise.

Geraniums in the House.

Geraniums are among the house
plants which like a rather high tem-
perature and sun all day long. On the
other hand, they dislike overmuch wa-
ter and thrive best in pots which are
rather small. It is important to keep
them pinched back, too, so that they
will be short and stalky. This kind
of plant blooms much better than one
which has been allowed to grow tall
and leggy, as the florists say.

ST-ST-STURING SA-SA-SAMY.



Meddlesome Mattie's Romance

By BARBARA KERR

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Mattie Mayfield was the village beauty, and strange as it may seem, she had in a manner elected or appointed herself to that post, though she did it unwittingly. Her widowed mother died when Mattie was in her early teens, and Mattie had to help out her father's inheritance by some sort of work. She was ambitious to become a teacher, so she let down her dresses, for in those days the letting down of the dress signified an age of dignity and discretion, and Mattie must make an impression on the school board. She put her hair up very high, practiced her prunes and prisms religiously before her mirror till her mouth lost its habit of dimpling and turning itself up at the corners on the slightest provocation—and received the school. Someone guessed her age ridiculously old, and, finally, she let it remain; then, of course, the mischief was done. She could not be young if she wished, and at times she did wish so much! But as time went on she almost gave up wishing, took up a staid middle-aged life in some clothes at twenty-eight—and that it was in a village—and so she became the village "spin." She knew also that some people who had felt the weight of her scorn on occasion had called her Meddlesome Mattie.

One evening as she sat in her room, before her tiny stove, she said the name to herself, but in a new tone, a determined, respectful tone.

"Yes," she mused, "that's just what I shall do. I'll be Meddlesome Mattie."



Did a Highland Fling.

"The poor little lamb!" The endearment had no reference to herself, but to a favorite pupil of hers, Bonnie Clay Bennington. Poor little Bonnie had done a terrible thing and the gossips were so busy with her name that she could not withstand the venom of it all. She was ill, confined through the hot summer to her home, while the young husband who had married her clandestinely was at the front, eating his heart out because the rash act, so Bonnie now called it, had wrought so much unhappiness to the one whose happiness was dearer to him than anything else on earth. Of course, it was a dreadful thing in a place where no one else had ever run away and got married. But the fact that Bonnie was being hectoring to death by malicious gossip, retailed to her by her disappointed and nagging mother, annoyed Mattie to angry tears.

"I can't not have it! What if she did run away and get married? What if she is a war bride—I wish—!" but she did not finish. She laughed and, jumping to her feet, did a highland fling. The unwelcome exercise brought the color to her cheeks and tumbled her hair. Her hair had to stop and look at itself in the mirror as she screamed excitedly for pencil and paper.

She was going to write a fiction of her life. She would tell Bonnie and her mother how she had planned to run away with the lover of her youth. But that her courage had failed her and he had come away never to return. She wanted the story to hang together, so she wrote facts first, then made them fit. "This she stuck at his name," "Stranger," she muttered, "that I cannot recall the name of this man with whom I am running away." She could only think of Lochlinar. I have it—Lochlinar Ross. I'll call him Lochie."

When Mrs. Clay was her cousin she said to Bonnie: "It's that Meddlesome Mattie. You don't want to see her?" But Bonnie answered, "Yes, let her in. She was always nice to me, other than I deserved." So it happened that Mattie was soon holding the little wasted hand, and telling with many sops and exclamations all about her planned elopement, wishing that her courage had not failed her so that she would now be happily married.

She blushed at the revelation (she was in the habit of telling the truth) and added many details. It was a changed Bonnie who smiled her good-byes, and Bonnie and her mother talked long over Mattie's sad romance, and when Bonnie wrote to her husband she told him the story, adding that she was so glad that she was not an unhappy old maid, and that he

had married her despite all objections. When he read the letter it was so different in tone from her others that he whistled a merry tune and his bunkie heard him. "Good news, Ben?" he asked wistfully, hoping to hear of the happiness of some home. "You're guessed it, Shorty, and it's all through the little schoolmarm they used to call Meddlesome Mattie." Then he recited Mattie's romance to Corporal Scott.

They talked long and sympathetically about the poor little old maid that had lost her nerve and her lover. "I'll bet you, nunn," observed the corporal, "that she's mighty nearly all right, that little old girl! Let's both write to her. It'll do no harm." So they did.

Mattie cheered by the vast improvement in Bonnie, kept up the farce day after day, dropping in with a bit of news, a flower or a rose that reminded her of Lochie, till it was the seventh wonder of the village that Bonnie Bennington had discharged her doctor and was taking long walks about the country with her old teacher.

Then one day two overseas letters came to Miss Mattie Mayfield. The one from Bonnie's soldier husband, which she opened first, left her flushed and happy by its ardent thanks. She had made a better soldier of him, he said; had relieved his mind and from now on she was to consider him as her soldier, too. The other she read through twice. Scotty was telling her how she was the most wonderful woman, that his mother would have done just such a beautiful thing in her place, and so on.

"Why, he thinks I'm as old as Methuselah!" she exclaimed indignantly. Then she laughed a little ruefully—it might have been a little romance—if "Well, I'll tell him the truth," she said, and she did, but told him as she valued Bonnie's health not to tell Ben. But time is long in the trenches. The confession was too funny to keep, and Scotty had to tell Ben.

"But, Ben," he said, "that makes her better than ever. She risked a lot of gossip making out that she had been giddy, when evidently she's never had time to do anything but make her living. Wouldn't it get you?"

But Ben, with tears in his eyes, was realizing the need that Mattie had felt that something heroic must be done to save his wife, and Mattie's stock soared to the skies.

When Mattie wrote she had told her age, Corporal Scott was just turning thirty-one. When she confessed the correspondence to Bonnie they laughed and giggled like two romantic schoolgirls.

Of course love can come "sight unseen," as the boys say when they swap jackknives, for letters often disclose real hearts. So Ben was chapman to the romance which culminated when he and Scotty were allowed to come home on sick leave. And Scotty needed no second invitation to spend his leave with Ben. There were two very happy couples indeed that made a foursome in the walks and drives about the village.

Corporal Scott tried to convince Mattie that it would now be in order for them to elope, for he was ready to wind up the romance in true Lochlinar style. "Whose romance is this I'd like to know?" growled Ben. "Bonnie and I did enough eloping for all of us, and we've earned the right to 'stand up' with you right regular."

And so it was that Meddlesome Mattie ceased being meddlesome at the same instant that she ceased being the village "spin" and became the wife of Corporal Scott.

They Never Go Back.

A brother-in-law of mine who is in France wrote me about one of his pals who had been taken sick and was being examined by a physician. The physician found that in addition to being sick he also had heart trouble in a minor degree. Consequently he determined to recommend a discharge for the soldier.

Upon hearing of it, the Yank put up a strenuous protest, whereupon the doctor said, "Why, my dear boy, what would you do with a heart like yours if the enemy advanced in overwhelming numbers and you were compelled to retreat? How far could you retreat?"

The Yank replied, "Doc, you don't know my gang. There ain't going to be any retreating with that bunch."

Properly Punished.

An American private, astride a water barrel that was being drawn on a cart by a mule, was telling the mule, what he thought about the animal's balking in the middle of a road that was being constantly shelled by the Germans when a direct hit was made on the mule. The mule vanished from sight save his head, which was thrown several yards up the road, and a couple of legs, which were left hitched to the cart. The driver was got up on his feet, wiped the mule from his face and said to a much-shaken comrade who hugged the earth nearby, "That's what the d—d cum gets for balking!"—Stars and Stripes.

Ostrich Meat Like Chicken. "Poultrymen" near Yuma, Ariz., who have been engaged in raising ostriches for their plumage, have found a new use for the birds whose feathers have vanished, never to return. E. D. Henderson, an ostrich-raiser of the Bard section, recently killed one of the birds, and prepared its meat for the table. The experiment, he declared, proved a success, the meat tasting much like chicken or turkey, although tougher.

Co-operate Upon War History.

The Pennsylvania War History Commission reports a remarkable interest in its work and a spirit of co-operation throughout the State. The Commission is the official body having the care and preservation of the records of Pennsylvania's participation in the Great War.

In addition to military service records, the Commission is desirous of obtaining a complete picture of war times in the State. Its records will include materials relating to industry and labor, commerce, finance, education, the professions, agriculture and war welfare organizations.

Already the Commission has received the assistance of bank presidents, clergymen, school superintendents, storekeepers, mayors of cities, burgesses of boroughs and county branches of the Pennsylvania Council of National Defense.

Its records will include an account of how a group of school children did their bit in a county school, and how the iron and steel industry of Pennsylvania furnished the greater part of America's munition supplies. They will show the small fair held for Siberia's cause, as well as the organization for the great Liberty Loan drives.

No act, which was prompted by a spirit of patriotism and self-sacrifice, will be too slight for the records of the Commission. The aim of the Commission is to gather all forms of material which show the splendid part played by the State in the War.

Persons having information concerning any war time activities are requested to send it to the office of the Secretary of the Commission, Albert E. McKinley, 1300 Locust St., Philadelphia.

CARPET WEAVERS OF INDIA

Hard to Imagine Work More Monotonous Than That in Which They Pass Their Lives.

Carpet weavers of India work in a long, narrow shed, straw-thatched, without any walls, open to sunshine and the stiff breeze that stirs the swaying plumelike leaves of the slender palm and coconut trees rearing their tall, proud heads above it. Four or five or even more boys sit on wooden boards on the mud floor in front of the old-fashioned loom, their feet resting in a shallow pit underneath it, dug especially to receive them. In one corner squats a man, his back probably turned to the weavers, his eyes dreamily gazing into space or quite shut, droning: "Three magent, two green, five blue, one orange," and so on. His sleepy sing-song sounds, to one unfamiliar with his language, like the babbling of one talking in his sleep, or like muttered prayers. But he is neither dreaming nor performing his devotions. He is dictating to the boys at the loom the colors of the thread that each respective worker is to twist about the particular strand on which he is working. The boys obey his commands as mechanically as if they were automata. None of them knows aught of the scheme of the carpet, nor is any of them conscious of the progress that is being worked out on the other side of the carpet from that on which the weavers gaze.

Not Much Wasted Nowadays.

Tin and copper are not wasted, although thrown away by one who has no further use for them. Detonating processes enable manufacturers to recover most of the tin and use it over again, and copper is almost as good when remelted as when first taken from the mine.

Even the bones which come from our tables are not wasted. Bones are of value for glue-making, and they are persistently gathered up and sold to the glue factories. Millions of pounds of glue are made yearly from bones. Heretofore the trouble has been to find a perfectly waterproof glue or cement which would hold the particles together under the effects of water; but today cement is used which is absolutely waterproof.—Leslie's Weekly.

Authorship Not Determined.

"The more I see of human nature, the more I love dogs." The common phrasing of this cynicism is: "The more I see of men the better I like dogs." This has proved the despair of the industrious folk who run quotable passages down to their source. Because the sentiment is somewhat sardonic it has been attributed to the French and credited to Victor Hugo and Georges Sand, but the attribution has never been satisfactorily fortified by the citation of chapter and verse. The authorship remains a problem, and when it was proposed here some years ago the curious scholarship of those who are alert to answer these questions failed to shed any light.

FOR SICK-HEADACHE STOMACH TROUBLES AND CONSTIPATION

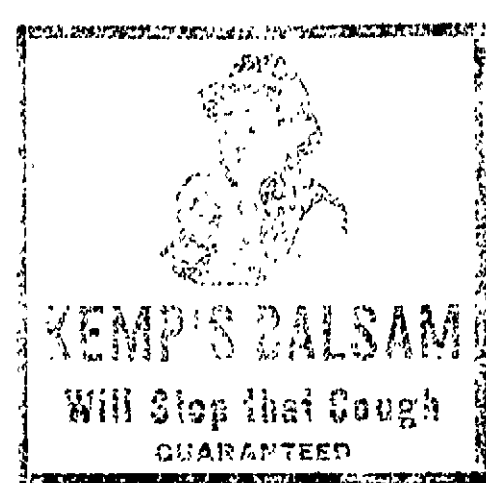
Send \$1.00 for a bottle of

STOMO

and be relieved

STOMO Medicine Company

Box 102, Lancaster, Pa.



William P. Stoner, real estate agent of Hanover, who purchased the Himes property in New Oxford, is making improvements to the house and expects to occupy it in the near future. He intends opening a branch real estate business in New Oxford.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

For Backache, Kidneys and Bladder

Rev. John W. Keener, of Red Lion, a prospective candidate for the large comprising New Oxford and Abbottstown Reformed churches.

The day of harsh physics is gone. People want mild, easy laxatives. People's Remedies have satisfied thousands, at all drug stores.

H. C. Buntz, grocer, of McSherrystown, dug a person out of his lot weighing four pounds and measuring seven inches in length.

A group of sore throat, use Dr. J. C. Electric Oil. Two sizes, 30c and 50c. At all drug stores.

At the public sale of John W. Clark, of near McSherrystown, five old pigs brought \$7.00 a piece.

ASTHMA INSTANTLY RELIEVED WITH ASTHMADOR

OR MONEY REFUNDED ASK ANY DRUGGIST

As the result of an alleged theft of a ring from the jewelry store of Wesley Wecker, Littlestown, last Saturday night, John H. Kaufman, Walkersville, Md., was taken to the Adams county jail in default of \$500 bail.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

While at work at the Alwine Brothers brickyard recently, Edward Alwine was thrown to the ground by the breaking of a scaffold upon which he was working, loading brick into a car, sustaining serious injuries to his legs. Both feet were sprained and the ligaments torn at the ankles.

Hay Fever-Catarrh Prompt Relief Guaranteed SCHIFFMANN'S CATARRH BALM

Miss Marie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith, of Straban township, was taken to the Chambersburg Hospital Saturday to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Chester Simonton, a senior in Gettysburg Seminary, has been elected by the Lutheran congregation at Fayetteville as a pastoral supply. Rev. Raymond L. Markley, the former pastor entered the service as a chaplain.



Mothers Thank Us

Keep your growing girls free from colds and weakening coughs and you are helping them to healthy vigorous womanhood. Thousands of mothers have written letters of thanks, telling what

Foley's Honey and Tar has done for their daughters in ridding them of coughs that "hung on" and weakened them just at the age when the young girls required all the physical strength they could command.

Foley's Honey and Tar is noted for its quick effect on coughs, colds and croup. Mrs. Ada Sanders, Cottontown, Tenn., writes: "We use Foley's Honey and Tar in our best and only cough remedy. It never fails to cure our two girls when they have colds."

Camp Meade to be Retained.

Camp Meade is to be retained permanently as one of the 23 demobilization centers. It was announced by General March, chief of staff. It has been generally understood for some months that Camp Meade would eventually become one of the permanent establishments of the Army, and General March's official statement confirms the report. It is understood that if Congress enacts a universal military training law, Camp Meade will be the training camp for the young men of Maryland, Delaware, the District of Columbia and parts of Pennsylvania and Virginia.

SHIP YOUR Hides, Skins, Tallow, Raw Furs, etc.

to the
KEYSTONE HIDE COMPANY,
Lancaster, Pa.

S. H. Livingston, Supt.

They will ship you the best prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write for price list.

A. H. Rodgers, of Abbottstown, purchased the Jacob Weaver farm, near Hunterstown, on private terms. The farm contains 167 acres. Forty acres of it are in timber, upon which Mr. Rodgers will move his saw mill in the near future.

Guard the Children's Health.

Mrs. Elaw, Box 26, Bennett, Wis., writes: "We have always used Foley's Honey and Tar for colds and find it great. The children all run for it when they see the bottle and ask for more." Contains no opiates, safe, and harmless, but gives prompt relief to coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. People's Drug Store.

David P. Hykes, executor of the estate of his grandfather, David Hykes, deceased, recently purchased at public sale the 88-acre farm in Reading township, upon which he has resided for some years, at \$400.

Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is the only baby medicine that is always safe. Teething made easy. No bad nights.

Miss A. Hazel Kane, who had been spending a month at her home in Orrianna, has gone to Lura, Ga., where she has accepted a position as milliner.

A Friend Recommended Them.

J. N. Tohill, clerk Lottie Hotel, Evansville, Ind., writes: "For six weeks I suffered constantly with pains in the muscles of my thigh. Upon recommendation of a friend, I tried Foley Kidney Pills and began to get relief almost immediately." They stop backache, rheumatic pains, soreness and stiffness. People's Drug Store.

Aaron Spangler of McSherrystown was admitted last Friday to the York Hospital as a medical patient.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock's Blood Bitters is splendid for purifying the blood, clearing the skin, restoring sound digestion. All druggists sell it. Price \$1.25.

Lewis S. Wolf recently cut a swamp oak tree on his farm in Hamilton township which measured 5 1/2 feet in diameter and when cut up made nine cords of wood.



Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Asper, and two children, of Latimore, left on Monday for Clarence, Iowa, where they will engage in farming. They will be located about one mile from Wm. H. Boyer, also from near York Springs.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Charged with having rifled the mails of \$800 worth of war savings stamps, Robert Bradley, a mail clerk of Chambersburg, was taken into custody.

Forgot What He Needed.

From the Republican, Mt. Gilard, Ohio: The editor had an interesting experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came to this office and asked for a copy of the Morrow County Republican. He scrutinized it carefully when a copy was handed him, and then said: "Now I know! What is it you are looking for?" We inquired, "My wife sent me after a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I forgot the name. I went to several stores and the clerks named over everything in the line on the shelf except Chamberlain's. I'll try again, and I'll never go home without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The Republican would suggest to the proprietors of stores, that they post their clerks, and never let them substitute. Customers lose faith in stores where substituting is permitted, to say nothing of the injustice to makers of good goods and the disappointment of customers. People's Drug Store.

Lieut. Henry I. Smith has returned from France and has been spending a week with his father H. I. Smith in New Oxford. He is stationed at Garden City, Long Island, N. Y., and expects to get his discharge shortly. While in the A. E. F. Lieut. Smith was assigned as staff pilot at the 2nd Corps Aero School.

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money. DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c. to Foley & Co., 2315 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds, and croup. Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. People's Drug Store.

In an opinion the Court of Appeals of Maryland handed down recently a decision affirming the judgment of the Circuit Court for Carroll County in the suit of the County Commissioners of Carroll County against the Westminster Savings Bank. This case arose in an attempt made by the County Commissioners to collect from the bank and trust companies of Carroll County the mortgage and judgment income tax of eight per centum on the interest payable on judgments and mortgages.

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FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

R. W. Taylor, of near Brysonia, suffered a painful injury last Monday when he had the first two fingers of his left hand cut off while operating a wood saw. Both fingers were severed at the second joint.

Fickle weather. Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is always dependable. Doctors prescribe it. Write for sample.

Representative C. Arthur Griest has introduced a bill in the House at Harrisburg to have the Highway Department take over the road leading from York Springs to Gardeners Station and known as the Idaville road.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching also drives you mad. For quick relief Doan's Ointment is well recommended at all stores.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

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Suffered for Eight Years.

Rheumatic pains, lame back, sore muscles and stiff joints often are due to overworked, weak or disordered kidneys. Daisy Bell, R. F. D. 3, Box 224, Savannah, Ga., writes: "I suffered eight years with pain in the back and could not do any of my work, but since taking Foley Kidney Pills, I can do all of my work." People's Drug Store.

On and after July 1st, the familiar red two-cent postage stamp will again have the power of carrying a letter beyond the confines of the city. So, too, will the green stamp, of the one-cent variety, appended on a postcard, have its former postage value.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

stops the cough and heals lungs

Advertisement

R. William Riley has resigned from the State Police force and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville S. Riley, near town.

Stopped Cough After Influenza. "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough medicine I ever tried," writes E. B. McDowell, R. F. D. 1, Box 110, Arlington, Tenn. "My son had influenza. He had the worst kind of a cough, and nothing but nothing did any good. I sent him a friend with Foley's Honey and Tar, and in two days his cough was gone." People's Drug Store.

The Hoffman Orphanage of the Reformed Church near Littlestown, have decided to receive 48 children and will build another cottage at once.

Spring Cleaning Time is Here.

If a house needs spring cleaning, how about the human body after a winter of indoor life and heavy food? Don't suffer from indigestion, biliousness, bad breath, bloating, gas or constipation, when relief can be so easily had. Foley Cathartic Tablets clean stomach and bowels and tone up the liver.

John Brady purchased the property of Henry M. Berkhimer, located at eastern end of Abbottstown for \$1150.

Bad Taste in Your Mouth.

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that your digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with.

Maurice Smith, of Mt. Rock, is building a cigar factory on his property at that place. This will doubtless give employment to residents of that place who formerly worked in the old factory that was removed some time ago. The new factory will be ready within the next six weeks.

For a Bad Cold.

Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has stood the test of time and can be depended upon.

At the public sale of Wm. Hahn, near East Berlin a grain fan in use 37 years was sold for \$250. The original price paid was \$35.

BITES—STINGS

Wash the parts with warm salt water—then apply—

VICK'S VAPORUB

More than 25,000 telegrams were received by U. S. Senators at the Capitol Building in two days from big and little business firms in all parts of the country urging the re-enactment of the daylight saving law that will turn the clocks forward on March 30.

Try This for Sour Stomach.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly. Eat but little meat and none at all for supper. If you are still troubled with sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets before going to bed.

Seventy thousand pounds of garden seed has been shipped to France by the U. S. Army through the Department of Agriculture, to be used in replacing shell-torn land.

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